WEATHER FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Moderate to fresh winds, mostly northerly and westerly, continued fine and warm today and Saturday.
Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, continued fine and warm today and Saturday.

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Ready to Leave at Once for Active Service at B. C. Base Hospital

—Photo by R. L. Pocock.

Officers of C. M. C., No. 5 General Hospital, are shown in the accompanying group, as follows: Back row, left to right—Capt. McKee, Capt. Green, Capt. McKechnie, Capt. Nicholson, Capt. Miller, Capt. Boucher, Capt. Taylor, Capt. O'Brien, Capt. Gibson, Capt. Winch. Centre row—Capt. Lindsay, Major Munro, Major Proctor, Lieut.-Col. McTavish, Lieut.-Col. E. C. Hart, O. C., Lieut.-Col. H. Robertson, Major Burns, Major Patterson, Capt. Walker, Capt. Dunbar, Capt. Lewin. Front row, sitting—Capt. Wall, Capt. McIntosh, Capt. Schubein, Capt. Wilson, Adjutant, Capt. Campbell, Capt. Hanington, Capt. Clarke, Capt. Whillans.

LINER ARABIC IS SUNK BY TORPEDO

Commander of German Submarine Wantonly Attempts to Murder Hundreds of Peaceful Passengers.

NO WARNING GIVEN OF DEADLY ATTACK

Small Loss of Life Owing to the Precautions Taken in Coastal Waters—Ship Disappeared in Ten Minutes.

LONDON, Aug. 20.—The big White Star Line steamer Arabic, formerly a favorite ship of the Liverpool-Boston service, but which on her present trip was on the way to New York, was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine at 9:15 o'clock yesterday morning southeast of Fastnet.

The steamer, according to a statement of the White Star line, was attacked without warning and went down in ten minutes. Of the 423 persons on board—181 passengers and 242 members of the crew—32 are missing and are believed to have perished. Most of these who have not been accounted for belong to the crew. Only six of the passengers are reported missing.

Whether any of those not accounted for are Americans has not yet been determined, but there were only twenty-six citizens of the United States on board, twenty-two being in the second cabin and four in the steerage.

The Arabic carried no first class passengers, having lately been turned into a two-class liner.

The survivors left the steamer in the ship's boats, and were picked up later by passing vessels, arriving in Queenstown tonight. They are being accommodated by the White Star Line in hotels and boarding houses in the little town which so short a time ago cared for the survivors of the Lusitania.

Details of the sinking of the Arabic are lacking, but the fact that the loss of life was not greater was due to the fine weather and to the circumstance that steamers plying in the German submarine war zone now keep their boats swung out and otherwise are prepared for emergencies.

Took Southern Course

The torpedo which sank the Arabic struck her on the starboard side, 100 feet from the stern. The vessel had left Liverpool Wednesday afternoon and taken a southern course, well off the Irish coast, doubtless with a view of avoiding the submarines which frequent the waters nearer the shore.

When some fifty miles west of where the Lusitania was sunk in May, the German underwater boat rose to the surface and launched a torpedo. The marksmanship of the Germans, as in the case of the Lusitania, was deadly accurate, and, like the Lusitania, the big liner quickly settled down and disappeared from view. Some of the survivors, according to reports received here, say that they had just witnessed the torpedoing of a British steamer, presumably the Dunsley, and that this had caused great alarm on board the Arabic. In their fright the passengers had rushed for life preservers, and had barely adjusted them when the German submarine turned its torpedo against the vessel's side.

Ten lifeboats and a number of life rafts were quickly got over the side, and into these a large number of the passengers and members of the crew scrambled. Many of the passengers, however, fell into the water, but they got hold of the rafts and later were rescued.

One woman who fell into the sea screamed for help. Two sailors swam to her assistance and succeeded in lifting her upon a raft.

Captain Was Rescued

Among those who were rescued were Capt. Will Finch, commander of the Arabic, all the deck officers, the chief engineer, the surgeon, the purser, the assistant purser, the chief steward and the third class steward. Third Engineer Dagon is among the missing. One of the passengers on board was Kenneth Douglas, a well known English actor. Mr. Douglas was on the Lusitania when she was sent to the bottom. His good luck followed him today, for he is among the survivors.

When the news of the sinking of the Arabic reached London late this afternoon, it caused a tremendous sensation. The first reports stated that it was feared a large number of the passengers had been lost. Reassuring news came shortly by wireless, however. It was to the effect that some fifteen or sixteen boats and life rafts had left the steamer safely and been picked up and were being towed into Queenstown. Later private telegrams brought the news from most of the passengers that they were safe, although some of them were injured.

Captain Finch was formerly in the Pacific Mail service, but for some years has been in command of the Arabic. The steamer is the largest yet sunk by the Germans with the exception of the Lusitania.

CRUISERS IN READINESS

Strong Italian Squadron Prepared to Steam at Moment's Notice—Troops Also in Waiting

TARANTO, Italy, Aug. 19.—A strong squadron of fast cruisers is being held in readiness to steam from here at a moment's notice. It is expected that the warships will be sent against Turkey if that country declines to satisfy Italy's demands for the release of Italian subjects held in the Ottoman Empire.

BRINDISI, Italy, Aug. 20.—Five army corps concentrated at Apulia, have been ordered to be prepared to leave for an unknown destination.

FORESEES GREAT FUTURE FOR B. C.

Hon. J. B. Lucas Says Prairies' Great Wheat Yield Means Surer Prosperity Than Ever in Past.

"The prairie crops are magnificent, the greatest in the history of the country. All danger is past.

"British Columbia? Why, this Province should face the future with undiminished optimism. With the rich prairies behind you, and the immense wheat yield this year now a certainty, and facing as you do the broad Pacific, British Columbia is in my opinion on the eve of a better and surer prosperity than it ever enjoyed before."

These are expressions used by the Hon. J. B. Lucas, attorney-general of Ontario, in the course of an interview. With Mrs. Lucas he reached the city last evening and is a guest at the Empress hotel. Mr. Alex. Lucas, M.P.P. of Vancouver, and Mrs. Lucas accompanied the minister from the mainland.

"I cannot put it too strongly," said Mr. Lucas, "that the yield of wheat in the prairie provinces this year will be simply enormous. I spent some time there en route west. I was taken in hand by some of the pioneers, men whose judgment could be depended upon and they told me, and, indeed, I had the evidence of my own eyes to support it, that never has the situation in respect to the crops been so magnificent. My information is that the danger is practically past. Only hail storms are now to be feared, and there is little probability of much damage on that account.

All Canada Optimistic

"The crops in Ontario are also in fine shape, and there is a bumper harvest. Take it all in all, I feel that as a result of the splendid crop outlook, Canada will be splendidly steadied during the crisis of the war. British Columbia should soon feel the good effects of the crop outlook. Everywhere I went in the prairie provinces, I found nothing but courageous optimism. Of course, speculation in town lots is a thing of the past, and the real estate market is stagnant. But never before in the history of the country has the farmer been in such good shape, and this also applies to the position in Ontario and the other Provinces of Eastern Canada. The farmer is not disposed to be careless of his money and engage in reckless expenditure. On the contrary, he is very thrifty, but he is on a better basis financially than for years, and as the farmer is the backbone of the country, nothing could be more reassuring.

"You should in British Columbia soon be feeling a stimulus in your production owing to the increased demand from the prairies for your lumber and fruit. I consider that the outlook for this Province is full of promise. How can a country, so situated, with the rich prairies only awakening to their full development, behind it, and the broad Pacific, with growing trade opportunities, in front of it, long remain dormant? Better times than ever are ahead of British Columbia. When I was here five years ago I was a pessimist. Then you seemed to be interested in nothing but town lots and civic expansion. Now you have got down to the solid basis of things, trying to increase your production, and you are on the right road.

Busy on War Contracts

"Generally speaking, business is improving in Eastern Canada. Of course I only have special knowledge of my own Province, Ontario, but the position there is typical of the whole country. The placing of large war contracts has greatly stimulated certain lines of manufacturing. There is very little unemployment in Ontario. The Massey-Harris plant is working day and night, as are other large mills and factories which have heavy war orders.

"In respect to recruiting, I may say that the response in Ontario has been excellent. Particularly is this the case in Toronto. The attitude of the masses of the people towards the war is one of fervid loyalty to the cause of the Allies. They are determined to stand by the Mother Country to the very end, no matter how long may be the road to 'Tipperary.'

"While the financial outlook is somewhat mixed, the only disability felt at the moment is in respect to municipal loans. We may not, I fear, for some time anticipate any financial assistance for capital expenditures.

The Financial Position

"But the financial position of Canada is basically sound to the core. By that I mean more particularly that the burden of the war has not at all seriously impaired the recuperative power of the country. The weight we are carrying is not proving to be at all burdensome. Canada is a great producing country, rather than a great manufacturing country; and the demand for our products and the determination of the people to apply themselves to increased production, and their natural advantages in their efforts to successfully do so, all give us a magnificent position; and we may face the future, no matter what it holds for us, with stout hearts and undaunted confidence."

Mr. Lucas was accompanied by the Hon. F. G. McDiarmid, Minister of Public Works for Ontario, who, after a flying visit to Victoria, proceeded to Seattle. He will join Mr. Lucas at Vancouver tomorrow. Ontario's attorney-general, besides holding that post, is the Government's representative on the Hydro-Electric Commission, one of the most important offices in the gift of the Province.

HELD IN CHECK ON NIEMEN RIVER

Main Forces of Invaders Are Unable to Cross to East Bank—Enemy Repulsed in Dvinsk Region.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 19.—The loss of Kovno forts on the east bank of the Niemen River was reported by the Russian War Office today, but it was asserted that the main German forces were still being held in check on the west bank of the Niemen River.

From the fortifications at Jesia, to the mouth of Kovno, Russian artillery has poured a heavy fire upon the Germans attempting to reach the east bank of the Niemen, inflicting heavy losses.

Every hour of delay that the Germans meet on the Niemen is of great importance to the Russian armies. The German left wing is the only source of great danger to the retreating Russian troops.

Field Marshal von Hindenburg is apparently trying to put this wing across the Niemen and attack the Russians on the Grodno-Brest-Litovsk front, both on the flank and in the rear.

Operations on the front from Kovno to Riga are being closely watched by the Petrograd military experts. Latest reports to the War Office state that the Germans were repulsed in the Dvinsk region Tuesday and Wednesday. The Russian successes in this district prevented the Germans from straightening out their lines.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL TO VISIT VICTORIA

OTTAWA, Aug. 19.—His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught expects to make a Western trip next month, with a view chiefly of inspecting military training camps at Sewell, Calgary and Vernon. He expects to visit both Vancouver and Victoria.

The itinerary of the trip has not yet been definitely arranged, but the Governor-General is planning to leave about the middle of September.

SMALL LOSS OF LIFE ON LINER

All American Passengers Said to Be Among Survivors—Several Canadians Saved From Disaster.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—The White Star Line issued the following statement tonight:

"The Arabic left Liverpool 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. She was torpedoed this morning at 9:15. She had on board 423 persons. As far as can be ascertained there are 275 survivors. It is understood that only six passengers are unaccounted-for."

It is stated the correct number of passengers was 181, of whom 175 have been saved.

TORONTO, Aug. 19.—It is known that several Ontario people were on the Arabic. They include:

C. W. Pringle, of Toronto, purchasing agent for the Russell Motor Car Company, of Weston (saved).

Major G. L. Money, of Stratford, his daughters, Mabel and Edith, and his brother Cyril, of Tilsonburg.

MONTREAL, Aug. 19.—J. D. Delorimer, barrister, son-in-law of Mr. Justice Brodeur, of the Supreme Court, Ottawa, who was, so far as is yet known, the only Montreal passenger on the Arabic, has been landed safely at Queenstown, according to a cable received tonight.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Careful checking of the lists of passengers as given out in London, Washington and New York tonight showed that all passengers listed by the White Star Line as Americans on board the vessel had been saved.

The White Star Line gave out tonight a list cabled from Liverpool containing the names of the following cabin passengers sailing on the Arabic, all of whom are Americans:

Miss Josephine L. Bruguiere, Mr. and Mrs. Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. James Salmon, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. A. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Deliah Covington, James Houlihan, Rev. Dr. E. A. McAllister, Christopher McTammie, L. P. Moore, A. N. Nebecker, John Nolan, Claude Roede, James Rowley, W. E. Ransdell, Miss F. E. Shrimpton, Edmund M. Woods.

List of Survivors

The first list of survivors was received by the White Star Line officials here shortly after 10 o'clock tonight. It contained the names of nine American survivors among the cabin passengers, as follows:

Fred Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. James Calmon, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. A. Collins; Christopher McTammney, Trenton, N. J.; John Nolan, Trenton, N. J.; Claude Roede, Mrs. F. E. Shripmton.

A second list of survivors contained the names of five Americans, as follows:

Mrs. Fred Burgess, Louis Bruguire, Mr. and Mrs. Zeliah M. Covington, A. Hulme Nebeker.

Cable advices tonight from London gave the names of Frederick Martin, of Winston-Salem, N. C., and John F. Day as among the American survivors. The passenger list issued by the White Star Line did not mention Martin and Day as Americans.

The mail aboard the Arabic, it was said at the office of the White Star Line, consisted of 2,800 bags of letters and 136 bags of parcel post matter.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The American vice-consul at Queenstown cabled the State Department tonight the names of sixteen American survivors of the Arabic. He said there was no authentic information as yet as to whether any or how many were lost.

According to survivors, the vice-consul's message said, the ship was torpedoed without warning and sank in eleven minutes. Excellent discipline prevailed, twenty-one boats were lowered and, apparently, all except those which were empty were picked up by rescue vessels.

The following is the vice-consul's list of American survivors:

A. Hulme Nebeker, Logan, Utah; James Houlihan, Philadelphia; Thos. Ellmore, N. Y.; Geo. A. McAllister, Chambersburg, Pa.; Jas. Trowley, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Covington, New York and London; Louis Bruguire, New York; John Olson, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Collier, Buffalo; Miss Sadie Shrimpton, Syracuse; Claude McRoodle, Schenectady, N. Y.; John Nolan; John Olschewski; Christopher McTamley.

Will Announce Position

NISH, Aug. 19.—Serbia has been notified by Roumania that the latter country will definitely announce her position tomorrow.

FRENCH CAPTURE BETHUNE ROAD

Night Attack Results in Important Advantage—Intense Artillery Fighting on Banks of River Oise.

PARIS, Aug. 19.—The following official statement was issued this evening:

"The artillery fighting continues intense on the greater part of the front, particularly on both banks of the Oise and in the region of Plessis-de-Roye, and at Vingre, where we hit an enemy train and convoy, and also in Champagne and in the southern Woevre.

"In the forest of the Argonne the Germans, near Hill 285, exploded a mine which did not disturb our works.

"In the Vosges the enemy confined himself to a violent cannonading of the positions of Linge and Schratzmannele.

"During the action yesterday, which enabled us to realize in Artois a very appreciable gain, we took prisoners and captured five machine guns."

The War Office this afternoon gave out the following statement:

"There was much activity last night on the Artois front. An attack by our forces made us masters of the junction of the high roads between Bethune and Arras, and between Ablain and Angres, where the German position constituted a salient in our other advance line. To the north of Carleul, we were successful in repulsing certain attacks made with hand grenades and bombs.

"In the Argonne our artillery put an end to the activities of the enemy batteries and bomb-throwers in the vicinity of Fontaine aux Charmes and Marie Therese.

"In the Vosges yesterday we took possession of another German trench on the crest of the Schratzmannele and made several prisoners."

FLEET AGAIN MENACES RIGA

Russian Ships Retired Owing to Great Superiority of Enemy—Tenacious Resistance on Brest-Litovsk Front.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 19, via London, Aug. 20.—That German warships again are menacing Riga, the big Russian port on the Baltic, is indicated by an official communication issued here tonight. The communication says:

"Our warships protecting the entrance to the Gulf of Riga yesterday drew closer in, owing to the great superiority of the enemy's fleet.

"On the whole front from Riga to Janow there has been no important change. At Kovno, the enemy continues to develop vigorously the success he already has attained. He succeeded in occupying the town and, advancing further, has established himself in the adjoining district which forms the isthmus between the Niemen and the Wilia.

"At Ossowetz during the night of the 17th, and in the course of the following day, German attacks on our positions were repulsed by our fire. On the front from Ossowetz to Brest and further south the fighting continues. It has been characterized in certain sectors by extreme tenacity.

"On the Galician front there has been no change.

"At Novo Georgievsk, the enemy is attacking the fortifications on the right bank of the Vistula and on the Narew with increasing vigor. The fighting is of a most determined character. Our wire entanglements are covered with heaps of German dead. Nevertheless, the German artillery, which developed a maximum intensity of fire, succeeded in silencing our guns and demolished the fortifications in the sector between the Wkra and the Narew, after which our defenders, in spite of all their efforts, were obliged to fall back to the right bank of the river. This enabled the Germans to concentrate their subsequent efforts on the northern sector between the Wkra and the Vistula."

VIENNA, Aug. 19.—The following official statement was issued tonight:

"Austro-German troops under Archduke Joseph Ferdinand and General von Koevess have forced passages across the Bug north of Janow and Konstanynow. Niemirow and other places on the north bank of the river were stormed and the enemy, who was thrown back, now is being pursued.

"The troops investing Brest-Litovsk, in whose midst are the divisions of Field Marshal von Arz, snatched from the enemy some advanced field positions.

"In East Galicia there is no change."

POSITION IS MUCH IMPROVED

Successes of French in Artois and Vosges Regions Place Points of Vantage in Possession of Allies.

RUSSIANS HOLD ON IN BALTIC PROVINCE

Turkey Is Now Threatened by War With Italy—Ultimatum Has Been Presented to the Sultan.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—The sinking of the White Star liner Arabic with the loss, it is feared, with some fifty lives and a valuable cargo has completely overshadowed all other news of the war, in spite of the fact that the continued German advance on the Eastern front, seriously endangering a portion of the Russian army, must soon have an effect on other fronts.

Berlin repeats today the claim that the fortress of Kovno has fallen, compelling the Russians in the Kalwarya and Suwalki districts, on the East Prussian frontier, to fall back. In fact, the Russians now appear about to hold their own in the Baltic Provinces, where they are preventing the Germans from advancing.

Besides the capture of Kovno, the Germans have taken additional Novo Georgievsk forts, and, according to their account, have penetrated the outer positions of Brest-Litovsk, the great fortress which is the mainstay of what was expected to be the Russians' new line of defence.

There is no evidence yet of Grand Duke Nicholas' intentions but military writers are of the opinion that the swiftness of the German advance has rendered it impossible for him to make a stand on the Brest-Litovsk line, which already probably has been turned by Field Marshal von Mackensen in the south and by his colleagues in the north.

French Score Successes

The French have scored two successes in the West, taking a German trench in Artois after a heavy all day bombardment, and making a further advance on the Ling summit of the Vosges. On both these sectors there has been heavy and continued fighting in which the French claim to have greatly improved their positions by capturing vantage points and keeping the initiative in their hands. There have been some long distance artillery engagements between the Serbians and Austrians across the Danube, but, thus far, there is no evidence of the commencement of the Austro-German offensive which was to carry relief to the Turks.

The forces of the Ottoman Empire, besides being closely pressed by the Anglo-French Allies on the Gallipoli Peninsula, where a new British contingent has obtained a firm footing in the vicinity of Suvla Bay, and by the Russians in the Caucasus, are threatened by a new enemy—Italy. The Italian Government, angered by the disregard by the Porte of protests against the treatment of Italian subjects in Turkey, is reported to have issued an ultimatum demanding that Italians be allowed to leave the country, how, when and where they desire, a privilege heretofore denied them.

Italy, according to reports from Rome, is making slow but steady progress against the Austrians on all fronts.

ASKS FOR EVIDENCE

Publisher Declares That Employee of Navy Department Is in Pay of Germans

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—In an announcement issued by the Navy Department today, Secretary Daniels said he had asked John R. Rathom, publisher of The Providence, R. I., Journal, to submit any evidence he might have to substantiate a published statement credited to him that a civil employee of the Navy Department was in the pay of the German Government.

Mr. Daniels also revealed the fact that, after a recent conference with Mr. Rathom, the Department had provided additional men for the naval force operating the German-owned commercial wireless plant at Sayville, L. I.

Mr. Daniels said that Mr. Rathom had intimated that he had information also regarding an alleged German plan to secure control of all radio stations in South and Central America and even in the Philippines.

Three Armies in West

LONDON, Aug. 19.—The Army and Navy Gazette says: "We have at the present moment no fewer than three armies in the Western theatre, not counting those contingents which have arrived and are still pouring in from our self-governing Dominions."

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

From The Colonist, August 20, 1865

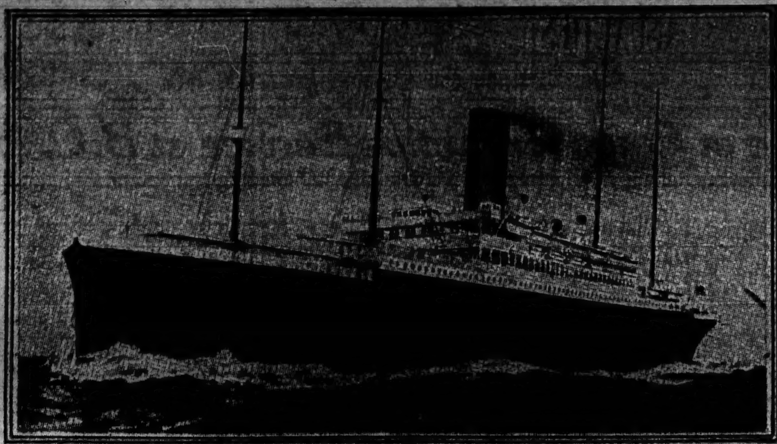
First Telegraph—The new telegraph line is now working as far as Hope, and the following was the first dispatch transmitted over the wires: "Hope, B. C., August 19, 1865.—To Mr. Grelley, Colonial Hotel, New Westminster.—Send a bottle of champagne to the telegraph office to Mr. Conway, with the compliments of Lundyright."

Panther Shot—An immense panther was shot the other day near Work's Estate. A sheep was pounced upon by the creature as a flock was being driven along the road, and at once shepherds and dogs set off in pursuit. The panther was driven into a tree and shot.

For Bear River—The steamer Otter, Capt. Swanson, left yesterday for Bedwell Sound and the Bear River to ascertain what fortune the prospectors have met. Capt. Torrens, gold commissioner, Mr. C. B. Young, and representatives of the press also made the journey.

Boat Race—Great interest was aroused yesterday in the boat race which took place yesterday afternoon between Reid, the ferryman's boat Fanny and Lechappie's new vessel, the Gleaner. The contest resulted in a victory for the latter by several lengths. The whole harbor was dotted by groups of spectators.

Atlantic Liner Is Sunk by German Torpedo



SS. Arabic of White Star Line only remained afloat for elev en minutes after being struck.

GIVES REVIEW OF SITUATION

Imperial Chancellor Outlines Military Position in Europe—Shows That Every Nation Is Wrong Except Germany.

BERLIN, Aug. 19.—Dr. von Bethmann-Holwegg, the German Imperial Chancellor, in a speech today at the opening of the Reichstag after a recess since May 30, in a sensational statement, quoted the words which he declared Sr Edward Grey spoke to the Ambassador at London when the latter took leave of the British Foreign Minister, after the beginning of the war in August, 1914.

"Sir Edward Grey," said the Chancellor, emphasizing his words, "said that war between the two countries would make it possible that at the conclusion of peace he could render us more valuable services than had Britain remained neutral."

The Chancellor explained that he interpreted these words to mean that Britain desired the friendship of a beaten and weakened Germany as a counter influence against powerful Russia. Britain would be ready to use such a Germany—a weak country—without industry and without a navy.

Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg discussed Poland's future, and announced that the previous German and Polish antagonism had been abolished. He said:

"The present occupation of Poland is the beginning of an evolution which will lead the country, freed from the Russian yoke, towards a brighter future, and will enable it to develop and cultivate its individual and national character."

Beginning his speech with a review of the present military situation, the Chancellor continued:

"Since you assembled at the last session, great things have happened. Again all French attempts to shatter our West front have failed, in spite of the contempt for death and the reckless waste of human life of the French.

"Italy, our new enemy, who thought that she could easily take her neighbor's coveted goods, has been splendidly repulsed, in spite of a numerical superiority, and has made an immense sacrifice in human lives.

"Unshaken and unshakable stands the Dardanelles front.

Greetings to Franz Joseph

"We greet our faithful Allies, and extend special greetings to the exalted ruler of the Danube, the monarch who yesterday entered upon his 86th year.

"We ourselves have taken almost all Galicia and a large part of Poland, Lithuania and Courland, and our lines everywhere, far advanced into the enemy's countries, stand like walls.

"We ourselves have strong armies free at our disposal for new enterprises.

"Proudly and without fear we look into the future."

The Chancellor insisted that the nations at war with Germany were attempting to deceive their people regarding the present real situation, thus, as he dclared, "in carrying heavy blood guilt," and denounced what he declared to be a "campaign of columnies" conducted against Germany.

"Our enemies," he declared, "pretend that Germany was prepared for this war, since during its first year she was victorious, while her enemies, innocent and peaceful, were unprepared."

The Chancellor recalled newspaper articles published in the Spring of 1914, at what he said was the instigation of Russian War Ministers, in which is was declared that Russia was completely prepared for war. He recalled, also, the "proud language" used for years by France in connection with what he said was France's demand that Russia should use for strategical purposes a large part of money loaned her, and the words of Sir Edward Grey in the British Parliament, stating that, in the event of war, Great Britain's war preparations would enable her to protect commerce to and from her shores, and Sir Edward's quoted declaration: "If we are engaged in war, we shall suffer little more than we shall suffer if we stand aside."

Position of England

The Chancellor arraigned what he declared was the English pretence that Great Britain was fighting in the interests of small neutral countries.

"The legitimate commerce of neutral countries," he said, "has been strangled by England, who forbids neutrals to transport merchandise coming or going to Germany, even if the merchandise is not contraband. Neutral ships are forced to take English crews on board on the high seas and do as they command. England occupied Greek islands without explanation, because this is convenient for liberty of the military operations of herself and her Allies. She tries, together with her Allies, to force neutral Greece to concede territory to Bulgaria because thus she desires to engage the latter nation on her side.

"In Poland, Russia fighting together with her Allies for the liberty of nations, destroys before the retreat of her armies the whole country evacuated, burns villages, despoils harvests, expels the entire population of villages and cities, Christians and Jews alike, turning them into deserters and allows them to perish in the dirt of Russian roads or in tightly closed railroad cars without windows.

"This is the liberty; this is the civilization for which our enemies are fighting."

Violation of Neutrality

The Chancellor enumerated all the cases where he found that England had violated the right of small nations, citing the Boer Republic, Egypt and Persia. This, he said, was the same England which, in 1914, declined a German guarantee of Belgian neutrality in case of England's neutrality, replying that she could not traffic in Belgian neutrality.

The Chancellor summed up this phase of his speech in these words: "A country whose policy was and is such, has no right to accuse of war lust or barbarism or of a desire for conquest the country that protected European peace for forty-four years; a country that lived only for peaceful evolution, while others went to war and conquered other countries; a country that now, menaced by half of the world, fights for its own life. Such an accusation is hypocrisy."

Preparation for War

Commenting on the documents recently published declared to be secret reports of Belgian diplomats, the Chancellor declared they proved that Germany had been attacked after long and careful preparation by the others for war.

He reviewed an attempt to arrive at an understanding with England after the Moroccan question, stating that England had declined Germany's suggestion for an unconditional mutual neutrality, but had offered to promise to make no attack upon Germany without provocation and had given assurances that England had entered into no engagement to attack Germany and would not enter into one.

"I thought," said the Chancellor, "that it was not usual for civilized states to attack others without provocation or join combinations which plan such attacks and, therefore, I thought that a promise to abstain from such attacks or refrain from entering combinations which plan attacks could not well be the object of a solemn treaty between civilized nations."

The Chancellor said he had thereupon suggested:

"England, therefore, will obviously observe benevolent neutrality should war be declared upon Germany."

This, he said, England flatly rejected fearing that "It would have endangered her friendship with other nations." This fact, the Chancellor added, had never yet been communicated to the English nation.

ACCOUNTED FOR ONE SUBMARINE

Naval Officer Describes Sinking of German Undersea Boat—Supposed Buoy Used as Decoy by Enemy.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—An officer of the British royal naval reserve, who left New York yesterday for Halifax to join one of the British cruisers on the North Atlantic station, said the Admiralty was not giving particulars to the press regarding the number of German submarines that have been sunk or captured since the war began. According to figures given to him by one of the high officers at Devonport dockyard, fully forty of them had been accounted for up to August 4.

"I was an officer on board the auxiliary cruiser Demerara last May," said the officer, "scouting off the Scilly Islands, when we sank one of the submarines of the "U" type. It was shortly before dawn on May 14 when the lookout man in the crow's nest reported a large buoy floating on the water about three points on the starboard bow. Our skipper, G. S. Gillard, of the Royal Mail steam packet line, was suspicious, and, after looking at the supposed buoy through his glasses, he ordered two rounds to be fired at it from the 4.7 quick-firing gun mounted on the forecastle head. He believed it to be a mine because there were no buoys in that locality.

"It proved to be a decoy used by a German submarine. As we steamed closer up the periscope appeared rising above the surface of the water. The ship was swung head on, and both the 4.7 guns forward opened fire on it immediately. The first shot hit the periscope and carried it away. Then the submarine sank, bow first, and we saw the stern rise out of the water and point toward the sky as she dived to the bottom of the channel. A quantity of oil floated to the top of the water, though we did not see anything of her crew.

"Captain Gillard waited for an hour, steaming round in a circle, and then went full speed to Devonport to report what he had accomplished to the Admiral in command of the naval dockyard. A month later, just before I was transferred, Capt. Gillard received $1,500 as a reward from the Admiralty for sinking the German, and the two lookout men got $50 each."

MORE HOSPITALS ARE IN DEMAND

Stream of Canadian Wounded Taxes Efforts of the Red Cross Society—Several Convalescent Homes in Kent.

MONTREAL, Aug. 19.—London correspondence in The Gazette, dated August 5, reads:

"The demand for additional hospitals, whether primary or convalescent, for Canadian wounded in Great Britain, seems to be so continuous and urgent that there is ample room for both official and private benevolence in this direction. At the present moment the Hon. Dr. Pyne is in England working on a scheme for a thousand-bed primary hospital, which will be established and maintained by the Ontario Government. Although it has not been definitely decided or officially announced, it appears probable that this hospital will be established at Cambridge, the well-known university city. Coincidentally, the Canadian Medical Department is contemplating the erection of a convalescent hospital capable of accommodating 2,000 patients, and in this connection Sir Algernon Firth has appealed through the press for the offer of a suitable site in the South of England. Within the past three months a large convalescent hospital has been established at Monks Horton, a lovely country residence, which is nine miles from Folkestone, from Hythe and from Canterbury, at all of which centres there are Canadian camps. It was this hospital which appeared most of all to have impressed the Premier, because of the 900 men who lined up to salute him—a line of brave and formerly stalwart fellows—many were crippled in limb, head or nerve.

"The Queen's Canadian Hospital at Beachborough Park, only a few miles away, is about to throw open new wards capable of holding between 500 and 600 patients, and the Duchess of Connaught Hospital at Cliveden, near Taplow, has also been enlarged so that it now has 1,000 beds. At Bromley, a dozen miles from London, there is also a spacious convalescent home for Canadians. This hospital has a rather interesting feature in regard to discipline. The men are their own police, and have the responsibility for maintaining order, with the power to penalize any individual who commits a breach of discipline.

"In connection with these large institutions there are also numerous convalescent homes which, for the most part, are the outcome of personal effort or benevolence. In this category is the home just opened at Luton House, Selling, Kent, by Mrs. Sandford Fleming, of Ottawa.

Hospital at Selling

"Selling is a small village six miles from Canterbury, where the Canadian cavalry training depot is established. The Fort Garry Horse and the Strathcona Horse form the basis of this reserve camp. Luton House is a handsome country mansion, standing in a park which offers a pleasing prospect of green lawns, rich foliage and hill and dale all around. At Selling there are 31 names on the roll, the majority of the men having been knocked out at Ypres in the first battle, about April 23, since which they have filtered through hospitals on both sides of the Channel. Following are their names: Cpl. Victor Weaving, 9th Reserve Battalion; Pte. J. H. Hamilton, 13th; F. Attwell, 4th; A. Hill, 7th; H. B. Robinson, Princess Patricias; W. K. Beattie, 10th; James Raphael, 1st; T. Jolly, 2nd; Gnr. W. McLennan, 5th Battery (Montreal); Sgt.-Major T. J. Ingham, 36th; George Jepson, 49th; Arthur Green, 24th; C. Collins, 36th; Sergt. W. Booth, Fort Garry Horse; W. H. Bowen, 49th; F. Wilson, C A. S. C.; C. Hoddock, 2nd Signal Company; J. Burns, 30th; Charles McGinty, 18th; Bombdr. J. F. Forman, 5th Battery; Gnr. V. A. Walker, 3rd Battery; A. McK. Shaw, 16th; A. J. McCraig, 14th; J. Marrs, 7st; Lce.-Cpl. J. Lamb, 8th; J. J. Shanahan, 3rd; R. C. C. Clegg, 16th W. Barry, 15th; Lce.-Cpl. J. C. White, 15th; Lce.-Cpl. J. L. Green, 1st; Bugler G. B. Johnson, 2nd; G. B. Treleaven, R. D. Goodwin and W. H. White, who were sent as orderlies for duty and for treatment."

GERMAN IS ARRESTED

Authorities at Brighton, Ont., Intern Suspicious Person Posing as Traveling Photographer

BRIGHTON, Ont., Aug. 19.—A German named Leib was arrested here yesterday and taken to the detention camp at Kingston. Leib had been in town several days, going under the name of Lee, and had been boarding at a private house in the village. On Sunday night he went to Charlotte, N. Y., on the steamer Caspian, but was turned back by the United States authorities, who notified this port to examine him on his return.

On examination he said he was a German who had been in Canada three years, and gave his business as a traveling photographer. He had a number of postcard views and several photos he had taken himself. All the pictures were of bridges, etc., three being different views of Belleville bridge. He had visited the lake shore towns surrounding here and several small places to the north.

Charges Against Consuls

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 19.—Allegations that the Imperial German consulate and A. Carnegie Ross, British consul at San Francisco, furnished a quarter of a million dollars, directly or indirectly, to men indicted for violations of the neutrality of the United States, are made in indictments made public today by John W. Preston, United States District Attorney.

Edinburgh remains in war time, as in peace time, the best-buying book town in Great Britain, estimating this, of course, on the basis of population. Everybody buys books in Edinburgh, and nowhere is the trade of bookselling more efficient.—James Milne

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Information reached Washington today that Captain R. E. Owen, of the Royal Engineers, son-in-law of Wm. Jennings Bryan, has been mentioned in dispatches by Sir Ian Hamilton, Commander-in-Chief at the Dardanelles, for distinguished gallantry in action.

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Dismissed from Service

LONDON, Aug. 20.—Lt. A. J. Herder, of the Eighth Battalion of Canadian Infantry, has been dismissed from the service by sentence of a court-martial.

Gunboat Wins

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Gunboat Smith outfought Jack Hemple of San Francisco, in seven of the ten rounds of their bout here tonight.

He who wishes to exert a useful influence must be careful to insult nothing. . . . He must not demolish, but build. He must raise temples where mankind may come and partake of the purest pleasures.—Goethe.

REVISED LISTS OF CASUALTIES

Sixteen Canadians Are Reported Killed in Action—Some Said to Be Missing Now Given as Dead.

OTTAWA, Aug. 20.—A number of revisions and a few recent casualties make up the three lists of of casualties given out yesterday containing 55 names. Sixteen men are reported killed in action, nine believed to have been killed in action, one dead of wounds, another dead as a result of gas poisoning, one died while prisoner and a German list is given as authority for the announcement of one death. Eleven whose fate has been notified as uncertain are now said to be buried at a place in France called Duck's Hill. Other notices in the three lists are nine wounded, four prisoners and one case of gas poisoning.

An Ontario private in the First Battalion was killed on July 25. A Montreal private in the 14th Battalion died July 17, while a prisoner in Germany. The other reports of killed in action are all delayed notices. Two Saskatchewan men in the Fourth Battalion were killed, one on May 23, and the other on May 28. Four Ontario privates in the First Battalion have fallen, three of them on June 15. An Englishman in the First also fell on that date, and a Montrealer in the Third Battalion on the same day. Nine privates of the Third Battalion are believed to have been killed. The numbers include Wm. Smith, of Wetaskiwin, Alberta, six others whose relatives are resident in England, and a Montreal man. Private Morrow, of Winnipeg, died of wounds on August 6. He was in the Lord Strathcona's Horse. An English member of the same unit died of wounds on the same day. Pte. Torrance, of Winnipeg is dead of gas poisoning. The Third Battalion figures largely in the lists.

The list follows:

1st Battalion

(Killed in Action June 15)

Cpl. Robert Isaac Bryant, Southend-on-Sea, England.

Cpl. Thomas Harris, Coventry, England.

Lce.-Cpl. Frederick Crowther, Birkenhead, England.

Lce.-Cpl. Robert Greenwood, London, England.

Pte. Jesse Clements, Winton, England.

Pte. Frederick Hemfray Davies Whitton, Kingston, England.

Pte. William Johnson Tostock, England.

(Killed in Action)

Pte. Chas. Keemle, Toronto.
Pte. H. Farndon, Toronto.
Pte. C. Garrett, Windsor, Ont.
Pte. John Maley, Galt, Ont.
Pte. A. W. Wigall, Wolverton, Ont.
Pte. E. P. Wallace, Simcoe, Ont.

2nd Battalion

(Wounded)

Pte. Leo Pierron, Toronto.
Pte. A. E. Keller, England.

3rd Battalion

(Killed in Action)

Pte. A. Daskel, Montreal.

(Believed Killed in Action, June 17)

Lce.-Cpl. William Mallett, Montreal, Quebec.

Pte. Wm. Smith, Wetaskiwin, Alta.
Pte. John Hayes (no address).

(Believed Killed in Action June 27, Previously Reported Missing)

Sgt. John Dart, Blackpool, England.

Pte. Charles Bradshaw, Plumstead, England.

Pte. Carl Lloyd, Wales.

Pte. Richard Williams, Grimsby, England.

Pte. Percy Kirkpatrick, Rochester, England.

Pte. Gordon Grieff Green, Sutton, England.

(Previously Reported Missing, Now Dead)

Sgt. C. Blanchette, England.
Pte. Jas. Ingram, England.
Pte. A. Officer, Ireland.
Lce.-Cpl. E. F. Armstrong, England.
Sgt. John Dart, England.
Pte. F. W. Potter, England.
Pte. Richard Williams, England.
Pte. C. H. Lloyd, North Wales.
Pte. G. C. Green, England.
Pte. John Hayes (no address).
Cpl. Joseph Stanton, England.

4th Battalion

(Killed in Action)

Pte. T. Williams, Maple Creek, Sask.
Pte. Wm. Thomson, Harlam, Sask.

7th Battalion

(Prisoner of War at Giessen)

Pte. John McKinney, Vancouver, B.C.

(Unofficially Reported Prisoner of War and Wounded)

Lce. Cpl. S. G. Sellers, British West Indies.

Eighth Battalion

(Died of Gas Poisoning)

Pte. George Torrance, Winnipeg.

Thirteenth Battalion

(Wounded)

Pte. E. Jones, Toronto.
(Dead, According to German List)
Pte. J. Curry, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

14th Battalion

(Died July 17, While Prisoner of War)

Pte. W. P. Peters, Montreal.

(Wounded)

Pte. Jos. Lacroix, Montreal.

Fifteenth Battalion

(Prisoners of War at Giessen)

Pte. James Thomas Cox, Toronto.
Pte. Alfred Neil McKinnon, Toronto.

Princess Patricias

(Wounded)

Pte. Frank Coulson, Toronto.

Lord Strathcona's Horse

(Wounded)

Pte. Patrick McIntyre, Manitou, Manitoba.

RECEIVE PROMOTION

Many Canadians Are Given Commissions From the Ranks—Several in B. C. Battalions

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Appointments of the following Canadians to temporary Lieutenancies are officially confirmed.

First Battalion (Ontario)—Lieut. Sheffield, G. C. Gough, L. B. Unwin and E. Irvine.

Third Battalion (Toronto)—W. D. Sharp, W. J. Macnamara, W. L. N. Webb, G. R. Kidd, H. R. Gordon, J. D. Anglin and A. J. Evans.

Fourth Battalion—F. A. Gates, J. C. Sutherland and M. R. Warburton.

Fifth Battalion—J. Anderson, A. C. Mackay, R. E. McDonald and F. Day.

Seventh Battalion (British Columbia)—J. R. McIlree, J. C. Goldhart and A. Wrighton.

Tenth Battalion—T. S. Chatter, H. C. Secombe, G. R. Taltack, D. C. Black.

Thirteenth Battalion—W. A. Dallas.

Fourteenth Battalion—J. H. Thompson.

Sixteenth Battalion—J. N. Wallis, C. B. Allen, Rosler, J. H. McCoy.

The following Canadians have been made temporary lieutenants: First Battalion, Lieut. Sheffield, from Army Service Corps; G. C. Gough, L. B. Unwin, E. Irvine. Third Battalion, W. H. D. Sharpe, W. J. Macnamara, L. N. Webb and G. R. Kidd.

ENEMY CHECKED IN RIGA REGION

Germans Have Not Been Able to Take Offensive in Baltic Provinces—Trying to Isolate Brest-Litovsk.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 19.—After their first unsuccessful attack in dense columns against Kovno, the Germans reinforced themselves with heavy artillery brought up from the east Prussian fortresses and subjected the defences to a most violent bombardment.

On the Baltic front the enemy's new forces have not been able to overcome the Russian pressure and take the offensive. The operations in thhis region are now of the foremost importance, seeing that they are being conducted simultaneously on land and sea.

From the left bank of the upper Narew the Germans are stubbornly trying to get at the railway network toward Bielsk and Bielstock, and so isolate Brest-Litovsk from the metropolis.

Vast numbers of Germans are on this front. Mackensen's army has now been transferred to the right flank of the Russians there, and so make it easier for Gallwitz' and Sholz' armies to penetrate the Russian line at Bielsk and Bielstock. This move, however, is certain to be met with the most stubborn resistance.

MAY ALTER PLANS FOR TRAINING

Depreciation of Exchange Rates May Necessitate Moving of Canada's Troops to England for Instruction.

WINNIPEG, Man., Aug. 19.—The Free Press Ottawa correspondent says:

"The seriousness of the exchange as it affects British-American financial relations is such that it is very probable that Canadian soldiers in the future will receive most of their training in Great Britain. Present indications point to a speedier movement of troops to the Old Country than has characterized the plans of the Militia Department in the past.

"The present situation is a somewhat incongruous one and by no means economical in its effect. While the rates of exchange continue to depreciate the value of British money received on this side of the Atlantic, Canada continues to retain large bodies of troops in the Dominion, many of whom have been training since last December. The money with which they are paid and equipped is British credit and is of far less value on this side than on the other side of the Atlantic owing to the change which has occurred in the balance of trade since the war broke out. Britain is now buying large supplies of war materials and foodstuffs from America and is exporting to that country far less than she imports. The depreciation in the rate of exchange has resulted in $100,000,000 of British credit to Canada, bringing little more than $90,000,000. It is apparent, therefore, that it would be very much to Canada's interest to have her troops paid in Great Britain, where money is at its face value. The saving would be tremendous.

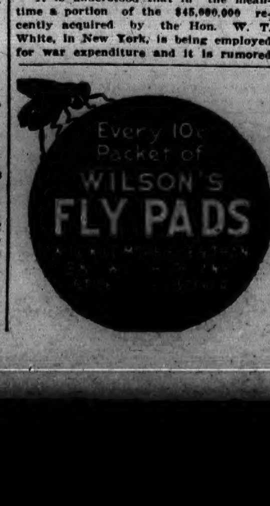
Solution Necessary

"In fact, some solution is necessary and the solution mentioned above is believed to be the most reasonable. There are thousands of men already in a high state of efficiency in the Dominion ready to leave who could (presuming that transport facilities are obtainable) be sent to England and paid there by Canada instead of here at heavy loss to the Dominion. The pound sterling, formerly worth $4.86½, has decreased to $4.67 on this side of the water and it may drop still further.

"The situation is serious from several viewpoints. In addition to that mentioned, where Canada is practically compelled to pay an exhorbitant rate of interest, for the depreciation of the value of money received from Britain is virtually that for the upkeep of her soldiers here, manufacturers of war supplies and other commodities purchased by Great Britain are seriously handicapped in receiving their money. Moreover, the financing of the 1915 wheat crop may be rendered more difficult on account of it.

"It is understood that in the meantime a portion of the $45,000,000 recently acquired by the Hon. W. T. White, in New York, is being employed for war expenditure and it is rumored that Great Britain contemplates making a large loan in the United States in order to overcome the situation so far as exchange rates are concerned. Should this be done, Canada's war expenditure will be defrayed by United States money not subject to such depreciation, but instead at a premium.

"The exchange situation as it is at present affects Canada and as it affects British purchasing power in the country and in the United States is admitted at the capital to be the most serious situation which has to be faced today. Some solution is eagerly looked for in the near future."



FIGHTING IN CAUCASUS

Russian Forces Put Turks to Disorderly Flight in Passine Valley and Make Advance

PETROGRAD, Aug. 19.—The following official statement was issued today:

"In the direction of Olti (Caucasus) our scouts drove Turkish outposts across the Tchoruk.

"In the Passine Valley the Turks kept up a cannonade all day, and in the evening began an advance against our position at Tarkedpa. We allowed them to approach within a short distance of our line, when we received them with an intense machine gun fire, and then put them to disorderly flight with a swift bayonet attack.

"In the mountain region of Khochmongan all attacks of the Turks were repulsed."

LIST OF PRISONERS

Several Members of 7th Battalion Are in Captivity at Giessen

OTTAWA, Aug. 19.—The following are prisoners at Giessen:

3rd Battalion—H. R. Gordon, J. D. Anglin, A. J. H. Evans. 4th Battalion—F. A. Gates, J. C. Sutherland, H. R. Warburton. 5th Battalion—K. G. Anderson, A. C. H. Mackay, E. E. Macdonald, F. Day. 7th Battalion—(First British Columbia)—J. R. McIlree, J. C. Goldhart, A. Wrighton. 10th Battalion—T. S. Chattor, H. C. Secombe, C. R. Tallack, D. C. Black. 13th Battalion—(Royal Highlanders of Montreal)—H. K. Wallis. 14th Battalion (Montreal)—J. H. Thompson. 16th Battalion—J. H. Wallis, C. B. Allen, R. Osler, J. H. McCoy.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—A list of prisoners of war received today includes nine Canadians, whose names and locations are as follows:

Pte. John Murphy, 15th Battalion, at Friedrichsfeld; Pte. Eustace, 12th Battalion, at Sounelger; Ptes. Henry Boulanger, Joseph Foulsham, Harvey Perkins and P. Thomas, all at Giessen; Pte. H. Leggett, 8th Battalion, at Altengradon; Pte. J. E. Wood at Tingleff, and Pte. John McCane at Gardelegen.

Australian Crop Prospects

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 19.—Official trade advices received today by Mr. Neil Neilson, commissioner from New South Wales, Australia, estimated the next wheat crop of New South Wales at 60,000,000 bushels.

HEAVY DEATH ROLL

Total Number Who Lost Lives in Recent Hurricane Will Reach Two Hundred

GALVESTON, Texas, Aug. 19.—The sea had returned to normal here this afternoon and the last rain storm following the hurricane stopped this morning. The number of dead is estimated at less than 20. Eight dead were seen floating in the bay today, but it was not known whether they came from Galveston or were washed out from the mainland with the flow of the tide.

HOUSTON, Tex., Aug. 19.—The known dead outside of Galveston from Monday night's West Indian hurricane is 101, according to reports here tonight. The missing outside of Galveston were 205. Of the missing list it was feared more than half were dead. Communication with Galveston and Texas City, a distance of sixty miles from here, continued to be a matter of many hours. It was known that Galveston's loss of life was comparatively light and it was evident that the island city was not rushing out any appeals for aid.

Will Investigate Charges

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—President Wilson took up officially today reports that German agents have been unduly active in the United States. Later it became known that the Department of Justice would investigate all charges tending to indicate violation of American neutrality.

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Friday, August 20, 1915

THE WAR

This is the 365th day of the war.

The dispatches may the opinion is pretty general in London and Paris that a great advance by the Allies in the West is about to begin. It is even asserted that the activity of the French north of Arras is a part of the beginning. Yesterday morning we had a dispatch from London saying the opinion was held there that a vigorous offensive would be undertaken at once. For several days the British force in Flanders has been inactive. The visit of Lord Kitchener to the front is significant. He can hardly have gone as a mere sightseer, and his presence was not needed as an encouragement to our troops. It is very possible that his object was to have a conference on the ground with General Joffre and the various chiefs of command, and it is worthy of note that activity north of Arras began immediately after his return to England.

It would be presumptuous for any person with the limited information available here to attempt to forecast the line of the advance of the Allies, when it is undertaken; but a few things may be mentioned. Broadly speaking there are four points along the Western line where operations concentrate. One is in Belgium and northwestern France, or from the sea to La Bassee, where the principal part of the British force appears to be concentrated. Advances by our forces there would in the first instance be in the nature of an attempt to drive the enemy out of Bruges, Ghent and Lille. Another is between La Bassee and Arras. An advance in force here would probably be intended to force the Germans out of Douai and compel their retirement in the direction of Lille. If these movements were successful the retirement of the enemy from Soissons and Rheims would be inevitable. The next is in the region of the Meuse, and success here would force the retirement of the German army that has been endeavoring to break the French line in the Argonne and capture Verdun. The dispatches spoke of Lord Kitchener paying special attention to the campaign in the Meuse. No very great amount of success here would be necessary to force the enemy into Luxemburg. There remains the fourth field, which may be described generally as the Vosges-Alsace region. An advance here, if successful, would drive the enemy out of Lorraine and compel his retirement across the Rhine. Nothing would so fire the French imagination as this. It is not impossible that advances may be attempted simultaneously at these four points, the principal efforts being made in the first and last named areas, the attacks in the other places being chiefly to prevent the enemy from sending reinforcements to the wings.

The Austro-German forces claim to be continuing their advance in Russia, but Petrograd reports successes at some points and denies the importance of the enemy's achievements. The great distance which the invading army now is from the German and Austrian frontiers, and the fact that they dare not weaken their lines in order to strengthen themselves elsewhere combine to form a situation which is very far from having reached a decisive stage. It is an open question if the Teutonic armies have not lost more heavily in their advance than the Russians have in their retirement.

The dispatches of yesterday spoke of the advance of the Allies on Gallipoli Peninsula as being halted. We think this refers to the operations at Suiva Bay and towards the heights of Sari Bair. Additional troops having been landed, we anticipate the offensive will be resumed.

Yesterday's dispatches mentioned nothing of importance from the Italian front.

GROUNDS FOR OPTIMISM

There are two kinds of optimism. One is the sort that thinks things cannot go wrong, and secure in this conviction goes on its way rejoicing even in the midst of disaster. Concerning this nothing need be said. The other kind is the optimism founded upon knowledge and logic. This is the useful kind, provided with it goes determined action to accomplish the hoped-for result. We cannot win the war by being optimistic only; we must be determined as well.

The British people and the civilized world generally has been accepting the claims of Germany as to her power and efficiency at their face value. For years that nation had prepared for war. She had a great body of trained men; her supply of munitions was enormous; the great Krupp factory far surpassed in efficiency any one or any combination of munition factories in any country. Her system of railways had been devised especially for the purpose of hurling great bodies of troops against her neighbors. Her plans of campaign had been formed during years of study. Everything necessary for the swift manifestation of military power had been arranged as far as it was possible for human ingenuity to arrange it. A German who could not see beyond the borders of his own country was fully justified, in July, 1914, in thinking that decisive success was to be had for the taking. The rest of the world to a very large extent shared this view. It would be foreign to the purpose of this article to exaggerate the strength of Germany before the war; but we may reasonably admit it to have been sufficient to justify the German ruling classes, with the information at their command, to assume that a single short campaign on both fronts would result in complete triumph. It cannot have been less actual strength than these classes supposed, for they had the means of securing accurate knowledge. The first fact demonstrated by the war was that German preparedness was not sufficient for the work undertaken. On this point there can be no question at all. It affords grounds for a reasonable optimism.

In regard to the present position of Germany and Austria, the great financial weekly, The Statist, says: "We are prepared to stake whatever reputation we possess on the assertion that the two Central Empires have not at the present time 4,000,000 men in the field, and never will be able to bring that force to bear upon their opponents." It says that to place such an army in the field and yet go on producing munitions in unheard-of quantities is absolutely impracticable, and as much of a dream as any fantasy that haunts midnight sleep." We quote further from our contemporary:

What enables Germany to do what she is doing in regard to men is that she has, since her victory over France nearly half a century ago, been devoting herself unceasingly to preparation for this war. With that view she has built an admirable system of strategic railways, and by means of those railways, she shifts troops from France to Poland and back again as circumstances compel her to strengthen the one position or the other.

But that kind of thing may be done for months. It cannot be persisted in very long.

When one hears of what is being done by Germany, one should remember that a great deal of the ability to do so is derived from plundering Belgium and the occupied provinces of France. The resources of Germany, in real, simple truth, are by no means what they are supposed to be. They are very nearly exhausted, as will be seen so soon as Russia is in a position to bring up overwhelming forces and to drive the Austrians and Germans before them. But the real resources of the two Central European Empires are very nearly exhausted already.

Germany looks imposing now because she made vast preparations that are not yet quite exhausted, and because her people are wonderfully patriotic and are fighting well. But the day of reckoning is fast approaching.

We think that The Statist discloses in the above a reasonable ground for optimism. We come now to the consideration of the position of the Allies Let us compare briefly their position now with what it was at the beginning of the war. In the first place, they are stronger because they have with them Italy, with her admirable and finely equipped army, which, by entering the conflict has divided the strength of the Central Empires. In respect to their armies, Great Britain and France are far stronger numerically and very much better armed than they were a year ago. In naval power, Great Britain is much stronger than ever in her history, both actually and relatively. These things justify optimism. The case of Russia is one upon which it is difficult to express any opinion, but the situation there warrants the opinion that Germany is no longer in a position to transfer any large part of her armies to the West from the East. She must keep herself strong in the latter quarter, or she will lose such advantages as she has gained. It is also a matter of doubt as to what advantage it is to the Central Empires to push a campaign against Russia at the present time. While we would not care to say that the situation in Russia justifies optimism, we do say that it does not warrant pessimism

SINKING OF THE ARABIC

The sinking of the Arabic by a German submarine cannot be justified even by the rules that Germany has laid down for herself in defiance of every principle of international law and every dictate of humanity. The Arabic could by no possibility be described as a ship engaged in hostile operations, or as carrying anything rendering her liable to seizure, not to say destruction. She was on her way from Liverpool to New York, a voyage that could not be construed as of military or naval significance. The presumption is that she had on board many neutrals. What proportion of them may have been citizens of the United States we do not as yet know. Her voyage was a peaceful one, and she had only non-combatants aboard. The attack upon her was an act of rank piracy, and that the list of drowned is not a long one was not the fault of her piratical destroyers.

There is no need of discussing how the British and Allied Governments will feel towards such an outrage, or to elaborate upon the effect it will have upon the people of the Allied countries. These things are easily understood. The point of interest is how it will be regarded in the United States. It may be assumed that among her passengers were many people entitled to the protection of the United States, people for harm to whom President Wilson has said Germany would be held to strict accountability. These people have been put in peril of their lives, if some of them have not actually been killed, and they have all been deprived of more or less of their property by the act of the German Government. To what measure of accountability will Germany be held? To aggravate the nature of the offence, this deed has been done pending the answer of the German Government to the American note. No nation ever before received such a deliberate slap in the face.

What can the United States do? For the present the nation is almost helpless either from a military or naval point of view, because of an insufficient supply of munitions of war. We doubt if the Allies desire the United States to participate actively in hostilities. That American troops and American sailors will give a good account of themselves if called upon to fight, we admit without reservation; but better service might be rendered if the Government would facilitate in every way the supply of munitions to the Allies, confining its own efforts to furnishing its ships with an abundance of shells. If the President feels called upon to break off friendly relations with Germany, it would undoubtedly be possible to enlist a large number of men in the United States to co-operate with the Allies. The American fleet could even now do very useful service in convoying troops, foodstuffs and munitions from America to Europe. Thus, while the desirability of active co-operation with the Allies in the field may be open to question, very great service could be rendered by the United States, if President Wilson shall resolve upon holding Germany to "strict accountability."

NATIONAL SERVICE

The Chicago Tribune takes the position that the experience of Great Britain in the war does not justify reliance upon the volunteer system of raising an army, and draws therefrom a lesson for the United States. After speaking of the aim of British people to preserve the independence of the individual, which it properly regards as identical with the general sentiment of the people of the United States, The Tribune says:

France is as individualistic as either Great Britain or the United States, but if it had not made some effective compromises a greater part of it now would be administered by Germans. To preserve individual liberties it may be necessary at times to sacrifice them. The state may have to take the right of choice away from its citizens if it is to continue as a state.

Americans ought to think of universal state service as something which merely extracts from the work of the willing the greatest efficiency and which imposes upon the unwilling merely an equitable share of the burden which ought to be carried by all.

In the British Empire and the United States the word "conscription" has an unpleasant sound. During the War of Secession the Washington Government resorted to one description of it, namely, the draft. Certain men were chosen by lot to provide a force, which the system of voluntary enlistment had failed to supply, and these men were obliged to serve or find a substitute. In the very great majority of cases they were of necessity untrained. But if we do not like the word conscription, which carries with it all the abominations of the German system of militarism, there can be no objection to the term "national service." It will be admitted that we all owe a service to the nation, even to the very last service a man can give. What we do not admit, and what the people of the United Kingdom or the United States have not yet admitted, is that it is our duty to prepare ourselves to render the best possible service and to consent to such an organization that our efficiency in that respect can be employed to the best advantage. Hope as we may that this is to be the last great war, the idea is little else than a pious wish. We must never be caught unprepared again, and it is surely not beyond the ingenuity of the English-speaking world to devise a system which, while preserving all that is best in individual freedom of action, will yet enable us in times of crisis to maintain our cause without long months of preparation.

A CENTRAL SUN

Our correspondent, Dr. Calvin L. Harrison, of New York, is right in thinking that a general interest exists in astronomical matters, an interest which has been stimulated here by the decision to erect in the vicinity of the city the great 72-inch reflector. In respect to the views set forth in the articles to which he refers, they were hardly those of an amateur, for they were advanced by Le Revue Scientifique, of Paris, and Astronomer Walkley which it quoted. The only statement for which this paper was responsible was that the central point of the Universe, if there is one, would be inferred from, among other things, the preponderance of motion among stellar bodies. As our correspondent, like The Colonist, only claims to be an amateur student of astronomy, he will pardon us if we say a few words in regard to "preponderance of motion." We have already spoken of this, giving as our authority Dr. Plaskett, of Ottawa. All the stars are in motion; but astrophysical observations show that their motions do not appear all to be in the same direction. Preponderance of motion is the general direction in which the majority of the stars appear to be moving. Perhaps preponderance of direction would be a better way to describe it. Without the details of the argument which Dr. Walkley has advanced in favor of his suggestion that Canopus may be the centre of the Universe, we are unable to say upon what he based his conclusions.

In the State of Mississippi there are 5,000 candidates in the field for offices to which men are to be chosen at a forthcoming election. Such unlimited desire to serve the people indicates something. Perhaps it only is that in Mississippi it is understood that "public office is a private snap."

Yesterday's garden party given on the beautiful grounds of Mrs. F. B. Pemberton's residence by the Women's Canadian Club was a delightful function, which will long be remembered by those who had the good fortune to be present. It was a most thoughtful action on the part of Mrs. Pemberton to lend her grounds for a purpose for which they proved admirably adapted. The cause, that of providing funds for the Canadian prisoners of war in Germany, was one that we are afraid has been to a certain extent overlooked amid the pressure of other wants which the war has called into existence. We congratulate Mrs. Pemberton and the other members of the Women's Canadian Club on the success that has attended their efforts, and more especially on the thoughtfulness which led to the entertainment.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

No letters to the Editor will be printed except over the proper signature of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

Machine Guns

Sir,—I thought a copy of the letter received from the Militia Department would interest the many who have subscribed through your office to the Machine Gun Fund, like ourselves, as follows:

"Militia and Defence Minister's Office,
"Ottawa, Aug. 12, 1915.

"Dear Sir,—I beg to acknowledge, through the manager of The Daily Colonist, Victoria, B. C., your donation of $1,000 for the purchase of a machine gun.

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"Thanking you most sincerely on behalf of the Government for your generous and patriotic contribution,

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"Yours faithfully,
"JAMES A. LOUGHEED,
"Acting Minister.

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"Victoria, B. C."

Centre of the Universe

Sir,—In your edition of the 19th instant is an interesting editorial entitled, "Centre of the Universe." As I suppose your comments are made from the standpoint of the layman in astronomy, the writer may be pardoned for this letter from the same standpoint.

The first magnitude star Canopus in the southern constellation Argo Navis, south of our Winter constellations, is said to be visible from the latitude of Los Angeles, California, as stated in a recent number of The Evening Sky Map, published in New York City. It may well be doubted whether Canopus is of such great bulk as to make him the King of the Suns, for his diameter would be, as described in your editorial, about one hundred and twenty millions of miles. But the first magnitude star, Arcturus, in our own hemisphere, which is now to be seen directly overhead at about 10 p.m., has an estimated diameter of about one hundred millions of miles. Again, as celestial bodies which have a rotary relation with each other, do not revolve one about the other, but both revolve around their mutual centre of gravity, it is difficult to form the remotest conception of the resultant of such a complex as our universe so as to fix a centre of gravity mutual between a central sun on one hand and all the rest of the universe on the other. Still further, the known several motions of conspicuous star-suns, like those in the Great Dipper, are more or less divergent and not suggestive of rotation about a centre common to the universe (see reference to Motions of the Stars of the Dipper in Professor Todd's "New Astronomy"). Such considerations are opposed to the idea of a central sun.

These remarks are not put forth in a controversial spirit, but the increasing number of articles on this question of a "Central Sun," seeming to bespeak a general interest therein, which supposition is borne out by the conspicuous attention which you have accorded it in the columns of your esteemed publication, may excuse the presumption of an amateur in addressing you and your readers on this question of almost incomprehensible magnitude.

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NO CHANCE OF PEACE

Representative of Women's Peace Conference Takes Pessimistic View of Outlook

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 19.—A pessimistic view of the outlook for peace in Europe was given to President Wilson yesterday by Miss Emily Balch, of Boston, who visited officials in Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Russia, Holland and Great Britain as a representative of the women's peace conference, which met at The Hague.

Miss Balch told the president that in Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Holland she presented to officials a report adopted by the conference advocating a meeting of representatives of neutrals to bring about peace. She said the officials displayed interest in the movement, but gave no definite promises to take it up. She had had a personal talk with the King of Norway, and gave the President an outline of his attitude. There was a general desire in Europe for the war's end, she said, but no definite move for peace had received encouragement.

Embargo Is Modified

LONDON, Aug. 19.—An announcement of certain minor modifications of the embargo on the export of wool to countries approved as "safe destinations" is regarded as the first step in a policy of a freer exportation of wool, which has been advocated by the trade. Negotiations are under way for a considerable extension of exports to the United States.

A decision is not expected before next month, as it will be necessary for Great Britain to assure the retention of sufficient supplies for the Winter military needs of herself and her Allies. It is pointed out that a freer wool trade would do something to reduce England's growing balance of imports over exports, as well as to steady the wool market.

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Member of 7th Battalion, on Eve of Promotion From Ranks, Was Captured by Germans

Cpl. John McIlree, 7th Battalion, has been located as a prisoner at the German concentration camp at Giessen, although it was not known previously that he had even been taken prisoner. His appointment as temporary lieutenant is confirmed in last night's dispatches, which is, in itself, significant that he had been in hard fighting recently.

Cpl. McIlree is 23 years of age, and lived here a short time before enlisting for service. He left here with the 30th Battalion as a private, but was later promoted. He was educated at Port Hope, Ontario, where he served for a time in the cadet corps.

Field Ambulance Corps

Captains Gibson and Lees will have command of the reinforcements being sent from the Vernon camp from the Field Ambulance Corps. They are expected to join No. 5 General Hospital on their way East, so that the two units, whose duties are of much the same character, likely will make the journey to England together.

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Already it is known that some fifty pupils are assured, and the facilities for their instruction have been provided by the Oak Bay authorities. The step of providing a high school in the municipality has been rendered necessary through the decision of the Victoria board to impose a per capita charge on pupils attending the city schools from outside municipalities.

Nanaimo Recruits

A force of eighteen men has just left Nanaimo to reinforce the 11th C.M.R. at Vernon camp. They were given a hearty "send-off," the citizens turning out in large number on the day of their departure. Mr. Frank Shepherd, M.P., was among the speakers of the evening at a farewell reception held the night before they left.

Quoits Donated

A generous and patriotic citizen has left a set of quoits at The Colonist for the use of the detachment of the 88th Fusiliers on guard at Pachena Point, West Coast. It will be forwarded to those for whom it is intended immediately.

Recruiting Active

Recruiting is active in Prince Rupert and other Provincial interior cities. Lieut. C. E. Beattie, of the 64th Battalion, which is at Vernon, and Sgt. Edwards, of the 102nd Regiment, are at Prince George enlisting men for active service.

ARTILLERY HAS DONE MOST OF DAMAGE

Member of 30th Battalion Describes Fighting—Says German Snipers Are Deadly Shots.

The majority of the officers and men of the 30th Battalion C.E.F., who left Victoria in command of Lt.-Col. John A. Hall, had some thrilling experiences on being drafted from Shorncliffe to the firing line. Pt. F. M. Wise, who left with the unit, having come from Metchosin to enlist, and who was attached to the 16th Battalion, writes:

"I was most pleased to get your letter and to hear all the Metchosin news. The war, I am afraid, is going to be a long one and expensive. I believe cash is short out your way, and I don't wonder, but I do not see that this can continue with so much being spent. It will give me great pleasure to call on Mrs. Griffiths if I have the good fortune to get wounded and sent home. I say good fortune, because it's a case of get wounded or killed out here. Very few get off scot free.

"I don't know what you would think of this war if you were in it. It is very different to what you would think, and I cannot imagine how anyone can understand conditions without seeing them here.

"I believe Billy would enjoy it all right, and can imagine him, rifle under arm, going out in the twilight to bag, not a deer, but a sniper. Its pretty good fun, sniping snipers, but its all up if they fire first. They are deadly shots with their telescopic sights on their rifles. They often paint themselves green to match the trees, and are a "job" to see. They are the only part of the German infantry that are any good at all. It is their artillery that has done all damage out here; it is fierce. In the night's fighting in which Pilkington and Butler and a hundred other 30th Battalion boys were killed, it was the German artillery that did the work. The shells were hellish, absolutely dropping all along the roads and blowing chaps to pieces, and when we made the charges, maxims opened from every twenty yards of the German trenches.

Fearful Picture

"The scene at dawn next morning was horrible in the extreme. I saw a heap of 30th fellows, about twelve, and about twenty Germans, all mixed up, their faces waxen and black, and eyes that stared and teeth that gleamed, crimson wrecks of pride, and those that were alive, they were wandering around half demented. We held that trench for three days after that charge until relieved by the next brigade, and we had no overcoats with us, little food and no sleep, and no reserves behind us, except a trench full of dead men and the Germans shelling us most of the time.

"Can you imagine our feelings? Nearly half the 30th were killed that night and the following week; but things have been better since that and we are again the light-hearted happy bunch we were in Victoria. I am afraid I have wearied you with this long epistle. As long as the war ends the right way what matters about us individuals? We are all in kilts again and have a swell pipe band. In fact it's just like being at home."

Pte. Frank T. Everest, who left with the 48th Battalion recently, writes:

"We had a splendid send-off from Victoria. The railway journey was fair. We had the rottenest grub I have ever eaten and little at that. For the midday meal we only had biscuits and cheese, never anything substantial. On the water we had better fare and enjoyed it all right, and the sea was dead calm. We arrived at Plymouth Harbor Saturday night, but did not land until 10 o'clock on Sunday morning, and arrived here at Shorncliffe about 7 o'clock in the evening.

"We had no food between 4 in the morning (breakfast on the boat) until 3:30 p.m. in camp, when we had some mulligan and bread, nothing to drink; so if we have this kind of food at the front, we shan't last out very long. We are going as reinforcements to the 13th and 28th Battalions. Folkestone is close to the camp, and is a bad place, as you can understand."

VOLUNTEER SQUADRON

Regimental orders, Victoria Volunteer Squadron, Mounted Rifles, Major A. E. Christie commanding.

Parade will be held at the Drill Hall on Friday, August 20, at 8 p.m. sharp. Orderly room open for recruits, 7:45.

By order,

J. B. HOWES,
Lieut. and Adjutant.

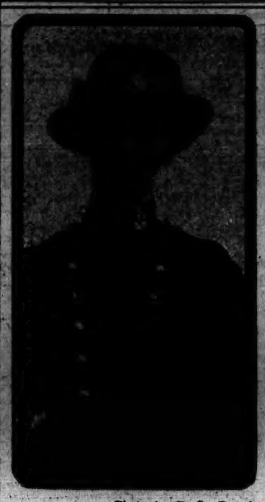
How You Can Remove Every Trace of Hair

(Toilet Talks)

A stiff paste made with some powdered delatone and water and spread on a hairy surface about 2 minutes will, when removed, take every trace of hair with it. The skin should then be washed to free it from the remaining delatone. No harm can result from this treatment, but be sure it is delatone you get and you will not be disappointed.

—Photo by R. L. Pocock.
MISS C. CAMPBELL

First Assistant Matron of the Nursing Sisters of the B. C. Base Hospital. She is a graduate of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital, of Victoria.



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MISS F. WILSON

Matron of the Nursing Sisters of No. 5 General Hospital, Canadian Medical Corps, which will leave for the front shortly. She formerly belonged to the Winnipeg General Hospital.

PROVIDE MONEY FOR MACHINE GUN

Employees of Harbor Contracting Firm Make Handsome Contribution to 88th Regiment—Corps' Activity.

There was every evidence of gratification among the officers and men of the 88th Rigement, Victoria Fusiliers, yesterday when it was known that the employees of Messrs. Grant Smith & Co. and MacDonnell, Ltd., had decided to present them with $1,125, which had been collected for the purchase of a Lewis machine gun and other necessary extra equipment. This, with the addition of other financial help promised by citizens, provided the corps goes on active service as a unit, will make it one of the best provided for offensive and defensive warfare that ever left the West.

In the meantime the regiment is exceedingly active. Men are being taken on the strength every day. The supplies have been received to provide for almost all, and both officers and men have been spending the Summer in profitable training. On Wednesday practice took place over the Clover Point range, and the scores made were most satisfactory. Yesterday there was the regular drill on the grounds of the Willows Camp, and today the orders provide for a route march over some of the roads of the Saanich municipality. It will finish at the Gorge, where the men will be given opportunities for recreation.

SAYS FAREWELL ON BEHALF OF PROVINCE

Lieut.-Governor Attends Excellent Open Air Concert Given by Members of B. C. Base Hospital.

Macaulay Plains have been the scene of many military functions, both ceremonial and social, but there is no doubt that that of last evening, an open air concert given under the auspices of the No. 5 General Hospital, C. E. F., was different from anything of the past. The feature which emphasized this was the presence of the nursing sisters attached to the establishment, in their smart, dark blue uniforms. They were not merely in attendance. They took an exceedingly active part in the entertainment, and, with the assistance of the officers, N. C. O.'s and men, together with the 5th Regiment band, and a number of civilian instrumentalists and vocalists, made the affair an unqualified success.

It was the hospital's farewell to Victoria, although not so advertised. That the citizens appreciated the significance of the event was indicated by the very large attendance. Crowds flocked to "The Pont" by street car and motor car. What is ordinarily the parade ground was packed with motor cars, their headlights materially helping the Chinese lantern illumination. Refreshments were served from a marquee, and the efforts of the officers, nurses and men to make their guests feel "at home" and to give them a good time, were easily successful.

The sentiments expressed by His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Barnard, in a brief but most appropriate address, were heartily endorsed. He said:

His Honor's Address

"Colonel Hart, officers, nurses and men of No. 5 General Hospital: I feel indebted to you for the opportunity afforded me of participating in this your farewell function before you and your regiment leave for the serious work before you. As your hospital staff, with its sisters and men, has been mobilized altogether in British Columbia as a base hospital in Europe, all those you leave behind you and who part from you with regret tonight will follow with interest your work in the interests of the Empire, and I feel sure that the reputation already earned for pluck and efficiency by our troops will be maintained by you. Although you may not be in the firing line, the work you will have to perform requires as much, if not more courage even than those who are in the front, for they have the excitement to spur them. I wish, on behalf of my wife and myself, and also as Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, on behalf of the Province, to wish you all a safe journey, good luck, and a speedy return after your work has been accomplished."

The concert opened with an overture by the 5th Regiment band, followed by a solo by Mr. Futch and a selection by Pte. Brake, the nursing sisters joining in the chorus. While the programme was most attractive and every number was enthusiastically received, obviously those most appreciated were the popular and familiar songs which permitted the nurses, officers and men to take part in the chorus. Thus: "Are We Downhearted" and "Tipperary" were taken up by the entire throng, and repeated encores insisted upon. "The Maple Leaf," rendered by the nurses was another feature.

The complete programme follows:

Solo and chorus, Pte. Brake and nursing sisters; piano solo, Lieut.-Col. H. M. Robertson; song, Mr. D. C. Hughes; violin solo, Miss Howard; song, "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling," Cpl. J. G. Gibson; recitation, Mr. Thomas; song, Miss Cockrill; selection, Band of 5th Regiment, C. G. A.; violin solo, Pte. D. W. Lyon; song, Mrs. Longfield; selection, Band of 5th Regiment, C. G. A.; song, Mr. Melville; song, Miss Temple; song, "Little Grey Home in the West," Pte. C. Embery; selection, Band of 5th Regiment, C. G. A.; song, Pte. W. Day; violin selection, the Misses Tilley; song "The Perfect Day," Pte. H. Morrow; song, Miss Lugrin; song, Pte. F. C. J. Strake; song, Mrs. Jameson; solo and chorus, "Maple Leaf," nursing sisters; selection, Band of 5th Regiment, C. G. A.

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MISS A. M. TRIPP

Assistant Matron of the nursing staff of No. 5 General Hospital, now in camp on Macaulay Plains.

COL. OGILVIE RETURNS

D. O. C. Back After Inspecting Vernon Camp—States That Recruits Are Available Whenever Sought

Col. A. T. Ogilvie, the district officer commanding, has returned from Vernon, where he has been inspecting the overseas forces now in training for active service. Recruiting, he states, is satisfactory throughout the West. He states that whenever men are wanted the required number are obtained without difficulty. There appeared to be no diminution in the response of the men of British Columbia and the Far North to the call to arms. There was nothing to add to what already has been said regarding conditions at the concentration camp. The drafts asked for from the various battalions quartered there were being prepared and would be sent forward in due course. The work was proceeding in orderly and thorough fashion.

WOUNDED IN LEG

Lieut.-Commander Percy F. Newcombe, R.N., who was the first lieutenant on H. M. S. Shearwater on this station three years ago, under Capt. Vivian and Commander Walters, has been recently wounded in the leg while leading a party at the Dardanelles.

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It is about two months since the Department of Militia and Defence authorized the mobilization of No. 5 General Hospital, Canadian Medical Corps, commonly known as the "B. C. Base Hospital," and entrusted Lieut.-Col. E. C. Hart with the task of organising the establishment. He has completed his task, mustering a splendid medical staff taken almost entirely from Provincial professional men, a nursing staff approximately 75 strong, all of whom have had to prove a high standard of qualification, and a first-class corps of N. C. O.'s and men, and has been able to give them a long period of military training on Macaulay Plains.

The departure of the unit on active service is imminent. The personal of the officers' staff follows:

Lieut.-Col. E. C. Hart, Commanding Officer; Lieut.-Col. F. C. McTavish, Second in Command; Lieut.-Col. H. M. Robertson, reserved for hospital duty; Lieut.-Col. K. D. Panton, C.E.F.; Major H. L. Burris, reserved for hospital duty; Major G. E. Gillies, C.E.F.; Major F. P. Patterson, reserved for hospital duty; Major A. S. Munro, reserved for hospital duty; Major A. P. Proctor, reserved for hospital duty; Capt. A. J. Gibson, reserved for hospital duty; Capt. A. C. Frost, reserved for hospital duty; Capt. J. E. Campbell, second on parades of N. C. O.'s and men; Capt. H. C. L. Lindsay, reserved for hospital duty; Capt. W. A. Wilson, Acting Adjutant; Capt. R. L. Miller, reserved for hospital duty; Capt. H. A. Whiliams, reserved for hospital duty; Capt. W. P. Walker, reserved for hospital duty; Capt. J. T. Wall, Commander of No. 4 Platoon; Capt. W. A. Clarke, Senior Officer on parades of N. C. O.'s and men; Capt. A. B. Schinbein, Commander of No. 3 Platoon; Capt. R. B. Boucher, reserved for hospital duty; Capt. H. H. McIntosh, reserved for hospital duty; Capt. G. S. McKee, reserved for hospital duty; Capt. T. H. Green, reserved for hospital duty; Capt. D. A. Dunbar, reserved for hospital duty; Capt. W. B. McKechnie, reserved for hospital duty; Capt. D. P. Hamington, Commander of No. 1 Platoon; Capt. J. D. Miller, Commander of No. 2 Platoon; Capt. S. Dunsd, reserved for hospital duty; Capt. F. J. Nicholson, reserved for hospital duty; Capt. J. O'Brien, reserved for hospital duty; Capt. J. N. Taylor, reserved for hospital duty; Capt. J. Lewis, Quartermaster; Capt. R. F. Winch, Quartermaster.

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WILL LEAVE TODAY

Reinforcements From Independent Squadron Will Start for Vernon Camp This Afternoon

A detachment of twenty-five N.C.O.'s and men from the Victoria Independent Horse will leave the Willows camp, according to present arrangements, this afternoon for the Vernon concentration camp. They are to be in charge of Sgt. Boys and Cpl. Buck. In all probability Major Hensiker, the O.C., will receive authority immediately to enroll sufficient recruits to fill the vacancies.

CAPT. CHAPIN WOUNDED

Victorian Who Obtained Commission in 4th Dragoon Guards Is Now in Hospital

Capt. S. H. Chapin, D.S.O., formerly of the Cameron Lumber Co., of this city, who obtained a commission in the 4th Dragoon Guards last August, has been wounded in the eye, and is now in a hospital at Brighton, England.

Mrs. Chapin and two children are living here in Victoria.

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Brush Fire in Oak Bay—A brush fire at the corner of Oak Bay Avenue and Margate Road gave the fire department a run yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Bank Clearings — Bank clearings for the week ended yesterday aggregated $1,238,738, according to figures issued by the local clearing house.

Fund for Machine Gun—The Clover Leaf Club yesterday forwarded a cheque for $628, being the amount collected by the ladies of that organisation towards the purchase of a machine gun for the 2nd C. M. R.

Postpone Tax Sales—An order-in-council appears in this week's issue of The Provincial Gazette to the effect that it has been determined that the sales of land and unworked Crown grant mineral claims for delinquent taxes shall not be held until further ordered.

Tenders for School—The Hon. Thos. Taylor, Minister of Public Works, in this week's issue of The B. C. Gazette, is calling for tenders, which will be received up to September 7, for the erection of a small one-room frame building for school house purposes at East Cedar.

Two Inquests Today — Two inquests will be held this afternoon, one at 2 o'clock on the body of Ralph Dinsley, who was drowned while bathing in the upper harbor near the Leigh mill on Wednesday afternoon; the other at 4 o'clock, on the body of the late Mr. Andrew Kennedy.

Indian Suicides — Word was received yesterday by Superintendnt Campbell, of the Provincial police department, of the suicide at Rivers Inlet on the 11th of Gassie Willie, a member of the Owekano tribe of Indians, who blew out his brains with a shot gun. The inquest resulted in a verdict that the Indian killed himself while temporarily insane.

New I. O. D. E. Offices—The offices of the patriotic service committee of the I. O. D. E. have been moved to the Winch Building, where the headquarters of the Patriotic Aid Society are situated. Formerly the offices were in the Temple Building, but, as the work done by the committee is closely allied with that of the Patriotic Aid, the change was considered necessary.

Presented Memorial — Yesterday Messrs. C. F. Law and Nichol Thompson, representing the Mining Exchange of Vancouver, called upon Sir Richard McBride and presented a memorial urging some action by the Government along the line of more encouragement to the treatment of the low-grade ores of the Province. The Premier promised that the matter would receive the best attention of the Government.

Sumas Dyking Project—Messrs. Cassidy, Cook and Ker, of Vancouver, interviewed Sir Richard McBride yesterday morning and renewed the application that the Government should guarantee the bonds of the company which proposes to proceed with the work in connection with the Sumas Dyking project. It was argued that if the work were taken in hand now the unemployed situation would be further relieved. The matter will be considered at the next session of the executive council.

Forest Fires—Though the smoky atmosphere would suggest that many forest fires are raging at various points along the Coast, the Forest Branch of the Provincial Government reports that the situation is well in hand and that no alarming outbreaks have occurred. No telegrams were received yesterday telling of new outbreaks, and this is regarded by the officials as an encouraging sign. Should the present dry weather continue for any length of time the hazard would become more serious.

Companies Incorporated—Notice is given in the current issue of The B. C. Gazette that certificates of incorporation have been issued to the following: Amalgamated Securities, Ltd., head office at Vancouver, and capitalised at $500,000; Copper Exploration & Development Co., Ltd. (non-personal liability) Vancouver, $100,000; Grand Forks Furniture & Hardware Co., Ltd., Grand Forks, $25,000; Shull Lumber & Shingle Co., Ltd., Vancouver, $200,000; Vanderhoof Hotel Co., Ltd., $100,000; White Farm, Ltd., Vancouver, $50,000.

Timber Sales—According to a return just issued by the Forest Branch of the Provincial Government, the total estimated value of the timber sales completed during the month of July was $9,340.79. This represented a total estimated amount of 5,472,154 feet, board measure, and 1,340 cords of shingle bolts, etc. There were scaled in all districts during the month 68,976,188 feet of saw logs, 413,458 lineal feet of piles and poles and 23,239 cords of railway ties, shingle bolts, fence posts and cordwood. There were exported from all districts 13,413,274 feet of sawlogs and 77,325 lineal feet of piles and poles.

Minister Returns East—The Hon. Thos. Chase Casgrain, Postmaster-General, and Mrs. Casgrain yesterday concluded their visit to Victoria and left for Vancouver en route home to Ottawa. Yesterday morning the Minister, accompanied by Mr. G. H. Barnard, M. P., was shown over the naval yard and drydock at Esquimalt. A visit was also paid to Todd's cannery and the Minister was much interested in the many instances of activity at the naval port. During the course of a motor drive yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Casgrain visited at Hatley Park, the beautiful home of the Hon. James Dunsmuir and Mrs. Dunsmuir.

Saanich Water Works—With the arrival of a large quantity of material for the Saanich water works aboard the Harrison liner Discoverer the work, which has been delayed for a few days, will be able to proceed. In the Cloverdale district trenches have been opened for several miles and roads have been torn up to such an extent that it was decided not to go ahead any further until the necessary pipe was on hand. As it is here no time will be lost in laying it and in repairing the thoroughfares. It is a matter of importance to get as far advanced with this project as possible before the wet weather ensues.

Suddenly Stricken—Evidently suddenly stricken after he had retired for the night, the body of Mr. John Elder Ross was found in his room yesterday morning. He had been living with Mr. Ball, Pioneer Street, Esquimalt, and when Mrs. Ball entered his room after she had received no response to her repeated knocks on the door, she found Mr. Ross lying on the floor and partially under the bed. Chief of Police Palmer was notified, and an inquest will be held this afternoon at 5 o'clock at the B. C. Funeral Furnishing Company's rooms, Broughton Street. The late Mr. Ross was about thirty years of age, and has been a resident of Esquimalt for some time. Of late he had not been feeling well, and prior to retiring on Wednesday evening he appeared quite ill.

Eastern Star Picnic—The annual picnic of Queen City Chapter No. 5 Order of Eastern Star, will be held at the Gorge City Park tomorrow at 2 p.m. Members of Victoria Chapter No. 17 and all visiting members are invited.

Whist for Red Cross—Victoria Hive No. 1, Ladies of the Maccabees, will hold its Red Cross whist drive in the K. of C. Hall, Fort Street, on Tuesday, when all Maccabees, Ladies and Knights, with their friends, are assured of a good time. A short review will be opened at 7:30, and games will start at 8:30 p.m.

Civic Retrenchment—At a meeting of the executive of the Civic Retrenchment Association held on Wednesday, the secretary read a letter from the City Council arranging for a conference with a delegation from the Association to discuss further reductions in civic expenditure, for August 27, at 2:30 p.m., at the city hall. It was decided to hold a general meeting of members of the Civic Retrenchment Association and their supporters and sympathisers in the retrenchment movement (taxpayers only), on Thursday next, at 8 p.m., in the Board Room of the Belmont Building. Seats will be reserved for lady taxpayers. Writers of anonymous letters to the Civic Retrenchment Association are requested to attend this meeting and state their grievances in person or sign their names to the complaints sent in to the secretary or members of the Association.

Provincial Appointments—Notice of the following appointments appears in this week's issue of The B. C. Gazette: George L. Andersen, of Kitimat, to be a notary public. Alexander Lockley, to be a member of the Board of Licence Commissioners and also of the Board of Commissioners of Police for the Municipality of Esquimalt, in the place of J. R. Saunders, resigned. Lawrence Bros, of Anyox, M. B., to be medical health officer for Anyox and surrounding district, in the place of J. G. R. Stone, M. B., resigned. The undermentioned deputy assessors to be assessors for the respective assessment districts written opposite their names: E. Edwards, Nanaimo; J. Maitland-Dougall, Cowichan; S. McB. Smith, Alberni; John Baird, Comox; C. J. McDonald, Pender Island, Mayne Island; Joseph Page, Galiano Island; E. Walter, Saltspring Island; H. R. Townsend, Rossland; Alfred McQueen, Slocan; S. S. Jarvis, Nelson; Newton R. Brown, Revelstoke; F. H. Bacon, Golden; H. S. Clarke, Fort Steele; A. Sampson, Quesnel Forks; John Stevenson, Barkerville.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Steele, of Toronto, are the guests of the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. MacRae, 210 Dundas Street, Victoria West.

Miss Jean John has returned to her home on Princess Avenue after spending her holidays with her sister, Mrs. M. A. Thomas, of Seattle.

Mrs. M. A. Thomas and children, of Seattle, have arrived in Victoria on a visit to her mother, Mrs. T. R. Smith, of 875 Princess Avenue.

Mr. Philip Goodwin left on Wednesday evening for San Francisco, where he will spend several weeks. He intends to go as far as Central Mexico and return by motor via Spokane.

Many friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Fred Alexander, 1164 Pembroke Street, on Wednesday, in honor of a reception held for her niece, Mrs. Kirkbride, formerly Miss Weltha Alexander, of 1159 Yates Street. The dining room was tastefully decorated with flowers. Among the most attractive were a beautiful bunch of Gloire de Dijon roses. The many friends sat down to a dainty collation, which was immensely enjoyed. Music was indulged in. Among those present were Mesdames E. L. Jones, H. Bishop, Gibson, C. Alexander, H. Carter, Spotts, J. Barnswell, Jr., Ellis, W. Estes, J. Scott, J. Barnswell, Sen., J. Alexander, Misses Beatrice Barnswell, Florence Alexander, Maud Alexander, Carrie Gibson, B. Hernandes, and Helen Carter; Masters Wallace Alexander and Harold Alexander. Mrs. F. Alexander, hostess, received her guests from 2 till 5 p.m. There were a large number of presents presented to Mrs. Kirkbride.

FOR PATRIOTIC FUND

Concert to Be Given in Lampson Street School This Evening Promises Much Success

In the Lampson Street School this evening a concert will be given in aid of the Patriotic Fund, and a very attractive programme has been arranged. His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor will preside, taking the chair at 8:30 p. m. The purpose of the entertainment and the well known ability of those who are to take part are expected to bring a good attendance. The programme follows:

Part I.

Orchestra selection ....
Rodd Hill and Belmont Batteries.
Song.... "Who's Your Lady Friend?"
Lieut. A. E. Craddock.
Song, "Where the River Shannon Flows"
Mrs. H. Pooley.
Chorus ....
The Arion Club.
Song ....(a) "Voices of Home"
..........(b) "What's in the Air"
Miss Eva Hart.
Song ...."My Moon"
Mr. H. B. McKenzie.
Comic sketch ...."Our New Band"
Lieut. A. E. Craddock, Cpls. Regan and McInnes, Gnrs. P. G. Cox, A. G. Cox and F. B. A. Punnett.

Part II.

Orchestra selection ....
Rodd Hill and Belmont Batteries.
Song .... Selected
Mrs. Roy Troup.
Chorus ....
The Arion Club.
Song ...."There Is a Land"
Mrs. Harry Briggs.
Song ...."The Cossack"
Gunner Fowler.
Chorus ....
The Arion Club.
Orchestra .... Finale

THE WEATHER

Meterological Office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p.m., August 19, 1915:

SYNOPSIS

The barometer is abnormally high over this Province and low to the southward. These conditions are causing fine hot weather throughout the Pacific Slope. Fine and warm weather continues in the Prairie Provinces.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria, B. C.	60	82
Vancouver, B. C.	58	74
Kamloops, B. C.	60	89
Barkerville, B. C.	52	68
Prince Rupert, B. C.	54	76
Atlin, B. C.	36	68
Calgary, Alta.	52	78
Winnipeg, Man.	58	84
Portland, Ore.	64	90
San Francisco	..	70
Port Arthur, Ont.	52	83
Toronto, Ont.	55	74
Ottawa, Ont.	58	72
Montreal	56	76
St. John, N. B.	52	70
Halifax, N. S.	50	72
Penticton, B. C.	59	81
Cranbrook, B. C.	43	85
Fort George, B. C.	48	84
New Hazelton	47	82

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Minimum	60
Average	71
Minimum on Grass	52
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FINE RIPE TOMATOES Large basket	35c
LARGE GREEN CORN Two dozen for	25c
FINE LARGE ONIONS 100-lb. sack	$1.00
FINE LOCAL POTATOES 100-lb. sack	75c
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PATRIOTIC FETE IS HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL

Entertainment Arranged by Women's Canadian Club for Benefit of Wounded and Prisoners Largely Attended.

Excellence in every detail marked the patriotic garden party held yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club for the benefit of the Canadian wounded and prisoners of war. The beautiful grounds of Mrs. F. B. Pemberton's residence, at "Mountjoy," Foul Bay Road, provided matchless surroundings for the event, and this feature, coupled with the ideal weather, the exceptionally good programme, and, more than anything else, the cause for which the entertainment was given, attracted a very large attendance, which resulted in the collection of an appreciable sum. The amount will be forwarded to the "Prisoners of War Department" of the Canadian Red Cross Society in England, whence its value in comforts and necessities will be sent, via Holland, to the concentration camps in Germany.

As an outdoor social function, yesterday's fete has had few, if any, equals, during the season. The attendance probably reached 1,000 or more, and motor cars lined the road adjacent to "Mountjoy" for a considerable distance.

The principal events of the garden party were held on a secluded lawn in front of the house, and this provided an admirable setting for the patriotic pageant and dances given durng the proceedings. Stalls, stocked with flowers, comforts and candy, were located about the grounds, while tennis, clock-golf and other forms of amusement were provided. Tea and delicious refreshments were served on another section of the lawn.

All the stalls had good sales. Mrs. Beaven had charge of the flower booth; Mrs. Charles Wilson took charge of the stall selling comforts for the troops; and Miss Leach attended to the candy stalls. Much interest was aroused in the stall maintained by Mrs. Mary Hamilton, who made a number of portraits during the afternoon, and disposed of them for the benefit of the fund. Lady McBride was in charge of the bridge tables.

The bands of the 88th Victoria Fusiliers and the 50th Gordon Highlanders were in attendance and rendered patriotic airs during the afternoon. They also took a prominent part in the pageant, which was the most notable event of the fete.

Patriotic Pageant

With the two bands leading, playing "Rule Britannia," a procession, embracing "representatives" of all the Allied countries, paraded around the lawn. The costumes worn by the participants were striking and vividly emblematic. The spectacle brought forth well deserved applause from the audience. After making a half-circuit of the lawn, the procession halted and formed a picturesque tableau; in the centre was "Britannia," personated by Miss Agnew. Around her were grouped "The Allies," Miss Campbell; "Belgium," Miss Pemberton; "Russia," Miss Irving and the Misses McDowell; "Serbia," Mrs. McConnan; "France," Mrs. Bury; "Italy," Miss Pearce; "India," Mrs. Cornwall, Col. Eardley-Wilmot and Mr. Boville; "South Africa," Miss Warren and Mr. Beaven; "New Zealand," Miss Robertson; "Australia," Mrs. Bowser; "Japan," Miss Hudson; "Canada," Mrs. Douglas Bullen; "The Rose of England," Mrs. Campbell Sweeney; "Scotland," Miss Ruth Jones; "Ireland," Miss Jones; "Wales," Miss Mary Rattenbury. The pageant was arranged by Mrs. Genge and Mrs. Simpson, to whom much credit is due for the artistic skill displayed.

A musical programme, arranged by Mrs. R. H. Pooley, was rendered at the conclusion of the pageant, as follows:

Song (selected) ...... Mrs. Roy Troup
Song .... Mrs. Harry Briggs
Song .... Mrs. R. H. Pooley
Spanish dance .. Miss Theresa Mesher and Miss Robson
Scarf dance..... Miss Theresa Mesher
Vocal solo—"Canada, My Home".... ....Mr. Harry Davis

Mrs. Gibson accompanied on the piano, and each selection on the programme was received with hearty response from the audience.

A creditable sum was collected by a number of little girls and young ladies from the selling of flowers and candy among the crowd.

The garden party was held under the patronage of Lieutenant-Governor Barnard and Mrs. Barnard, and among those present were noticed many officers and soldiers of the various military units stationed in Victoria.

PRAISE PUBLICITY WORK

Efforts of Victoria and Island Development Association at San Francisco Bringing Results

Testimony to the publicity work which has been carried on at the Panama-Pacific Exposition by Mr. J. B. McCallum, under the auspices of the Victoria & Island Development Association, was given yesterday by Messrs. Frank Higgins and Jesse M. Warren, both of whom recently returned from San Francisco after attending the annual meeting of Rotary Clubs of North America. They stated that while at the Exposition they investigated Mr. McCallum's work, and saw for themselves the good results secured. Many cases had occurred where Mr. McCallum, by his personal efforts, had induced tourists to continue their trips to Victoria, and much publicity work on behalf of this city and Island was being done by him.

Messrs. Higgins and Warren were present at a meeting of the executive of the Victoria & Island Development Association when the question of continuing Mr. McCallum's services at San Francisco for another month was discussed, but laid over for the time being. Other business transacted was chiefly of a routine character.

Commissioner Cuthbert stated that several new business schemes are under consideration with a view to the development of the natural resources of the Island, and some of these appear attractive and hold out prospects of profit. He suggested that if people possessed of capital and looking for investment possibilities, but who probably would be averse to letting their money out on mortgage or for investment in real estate, and who would be willing to participate in the schemes, desire to be placed in touch with those who have practical knowledge of the resources and possibilities of the development thereof, inquiries to the commissioner would secure information for the use of such investors.

FIRE IN SAANICH

Premises on Carey Road Entirely Wiped Out—Origin of Blaze a Mystery

Fire which broke out at 2:30 o'clock on Wednesday morning completely destroyed the two-storey frame building at the corner of Carey Road and Warren Road, Saanich. The blaze, the origin of which is a mystery, raged unchecked, as an entire lack of fire-fighting facilities prevented any attempt at putting it out. The loss is estimated at $3,500, with insurance of $2,500.

The premises were, until the day previous, occupied by Mr. Charles King, the first floor being used as a store and the floor above as a dwelling. Mr. King moved out on Tuesday to another dwelling a short distance away, but some of his effects were still in the building.

The Saanich district has been unfortunate this year, a number of fires, practically all of which proved total losses, having occurred, and with an entire absence of fire protection, nothing could be done to save property.

Most men, and particularly men of action, are deeply conscious of the presence of some Unseen Power at work in the world.—Sir Francis Younghusband.

HEAT WAVE CONTINUES

Mercury Rises to 82.6 Degrees at Gonzales Heights—High Temperature Is General Along Pacific Slope

Yesterday was not the hottest day of the year. According to the records at the Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, that distinction to date belongs to July 30, on which day 87.4 degrees was recorded, whereas the highest actual temperature yesterday was but 82.6 degrees. Thermometers about the business blocks, however, showed temperatures varying from 82 to 87 degrees.

A general heat wave is reported from all over the Pacific Slope, particularly in the United States, where Portland reports 90 degrees, Southern Oregon, 96 degrees, and the Sacramento Valley, 106 degrees. The maximum temperature at Prince Rupert was 76 degrees, and in the Kootenays from 80 to 86 degrees, with fine weather at all British Columbia points. The unusual feature of the heat yesterday is the fact of its coming so late in the month of August. The highest recorded temperature in Victoria during the last 30 years was 90.1 degrees on July 29, 1899; 88 degrees was reached on August 10, 1898, the next highest, not including this year, being 85.8 degrees on August 1, 1913.

ACREAGE IS IN GREATEST DEMAND

Highest Price at Saanich Tax Sale Is $1,000, Paid for Large Property—Auction Again Today.

The tax sale of Saanich municipal properties is drawing to a close. Yesterday there were the usual two sessions, forenoon and afternoon, and the advertised list was completely covered. On reaching this point, Mr. R. R. F. Sewell, the assessor, went back over those for which no offers were received in the original bidding, and, as far as he had gone, has disposed of everything with the exception of the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway Company's lands and those belonging to soldiers. The total amount taken in during the day was over $4,000, making the aggregate realized on the sale something over $15,000. The auction will be continued this morning at 11 o'clock.

Quite an amount of acreage was sold, at least ten parcels ranging between one and five acres going under the hammer. The largest price obtained in the day was $1,000 for three acres situated near the corner of Douglas Street and Tolmie Avenue. The competition for other properties, outside the subdivision lots, was active. Many subdivision lots in the Cadboro Bay district, and in Ward II, on the outskirts of the city, were sold. They did not bring much more than the taxes; in fact, it was only when there was something specially attractive about the lot that the bidding mounted over the taxes due. In the majority of instances it was merely a question of paying what was due and taking possession. The lowest prices were around $10, so that there was an improvement in the spirit of the buyers over that of the first days of the sale.

UNIVERSITY BOARD HOLDS TO DECISION

School Trustees Notified There Is No Possibility of Continuance of Courses at High School.

No change in the decision recently arrived at by the Governors of the University of British Columbia to eliminate the university courses which have hitherto been carried on at the local High School under the McGill course, will be made by that body. Despite the representations made to the governors at a meeting held at Vancouver on Wednesday evening by the representatives of the Royal Institute of Learning in a last effort to have the University Governors change their decision, the latter refused to recede from its stand.

Information to this effect was before the board of school trustees at a special session held last evening. A telegram from Municipal Inspector Paul, who attended the Vancouver meeting as representative of the board, was submitted, in which it was stated that the governors, by a division of four to three, had refused to rescind their former decision.

Trustee Dr. Lewis Hall declared that in view of this action by the University governors the board should take steps to ascertain whether, if the affiliation with McGill University cannot be continued, it will not be possible to affiliate with some other university, Toronto for example. He thought the action of the university governors was a most high-handed one. The board had been led to believe, up to July, that the University work would be continued here for another year at least. Then the announcement that it would not be continued was suddenly made at a time when it was too late to give the teachers engaged on that work an opportunity of adjusting their position, though the Vancouver staff engaged on university work had been well taken care of. The provision which would be made for university work at Vancouver this winter would only prove a mere makeshift, as there would be no adequate accommodation for students, and many Victoria students would, Trustee Hall declared, be unable to attend and thus be barred from continuing their university course.

Trustee Shortt doubted the possibility of affiliating with any other university in view of the apparent determination of the Council of Public Instruction, the permission of which would first have to be secured for such a step, that the university work shall be carried out by the University of British Columbia.

The matter will be further discussed at a subsequent meeting of the Board, at which a full report from Municipal Inspector Paul on the proceedings at Wednesday's meeting at Vancouver will be available. Had the board held its meeting this evening, as understood when Mr. Paul left for Vancouver, this report would have been available, but the meeting was advanced to last evening, and Mr. Paul had not returned from Vancouver.

AGENT ARRIVES TO SELECT HARVESTERS

Mr. T. Withy, of Bureau of Labor at Regina, Is Choosing Men—Two Hundred Men Will Leave Tomorrow.

Mr. T. Withy, of Regina, an officer of the Bureau of Labor of the Government of Saskatchewan, who has been sent to Victoria as an inspector in the matter of securing from this section of the Province laborers to work in the harvest fields, reached the city yesterday afternoon, and at once conferred with the Hon. W. J. Bowser, who, as Attorney-General and Minister of Finance, has had under his charge for some time relief work in British Columbia.

Mr. P. R. Fleming, Provincal relief officer, returned last night from Vancouver, and will today, in co-operation with Mr. Withy, commence the work of checking up the men who have registered in Victoria as willing to go to the Prairies. Mr. Bowser has arranged with Mayor Stewart that while in the city, Mr. Withy will make his headquarters, for the purposes of his work here, at the Central Labor Bureau, where he will be found today from 9 a.m. onwards.

Mr. Bowser said that he was informed that about 200 men are available in Victoria for immediate dispatch to the Prairies, and that it will be possible to forward some of them tomorrow morning. Only men who are competent to do the work of harvest hands will be taken. Such men as are selected will be given certificates by Mr. Withy, which, on presentation at the C. P. R. offices, will entitle them to the special rate of 1c per mile going, and 1½c returning.

Vacancies for Women

Mr. Withy reports that the farmers on the Prairies will pay as high as $3 per day and board to good men. Preference will be given to married men and those who have interests in this Province, so that they will return when the harvesting is over. On Monday morning, when he left Regina, over 8,000 applications for workers were registered at the Bureau of Labor, and they have been coming in by the hundreds ever since. The first men will likely be shipped to the north of Swift Current, where 1,000 men are needed at once. There are a number of vacancies for women as well. These will be given positions as cooks and female helpers.

Mr. Withy's instructions are to issue certificates to any station in Saskatchewan, but only on the line of railway on which the laborer starts from British Columbia. Tickets are not transferable. The districts to which the laborers will be shipped are from Herbert to Maple Creek, on the main line of the C. P. R.; between Swift Current and Prussia; branch lines between those places; and between Swift Current and Vanguard, on the Vanguard branch.

The railway tariff on the C. P. R., which also applies to the Grand Trunk Pacific, is 1c per mile to Saskatchewan, and, following the harvest, upon the production of the certificate proving that they come from the Coast, and a recommendation from the farmer for whom they worked, a rate for the return journey of 1½c per mile will be given.

Mr. Withy speaks in terms of great enthusiasm respecting crop conditions in Saskatchewan. All danger from adverse weather conditions appears to be past, the weather has been ideal for the past month, and there is now a certainty that the Province will reap the greatest crop in its history.

Mr. A. Fawcett, of the Department of Agriculture, Saskatchewan, has reached Vancouver on a mission similar to Mr. Withy's, and yesterday the first batch of fifty men were sent forward from that point on the Mainland. Mr. Bowser's information is that 500 additional men will be sent today. Two other inspectors from Saskatchewan, Mr. W. Olliver and Mr. J. McGrath, have reached the Coast also. The former is to be stationed at New Westminster, and the latter at Prince Rupert.

AREA REQUIRED LESS THAN WAS EXPECTED

Survey of Sooke Lake Watershed Indicates Estimate of Land Needed Can Be Reduced by 1,000 Acres.

A reduction in the amount of land that will have to be purchased in the Sooke Lake watershed area by the city is indicated by the survey which is now being made of the watershed under the direction of Mr. C. H. Topp, to whom was recently let the contract for the survey work. It has been discovered that Jarvis Lake, a body of water lying in the extreme northwest portion of the watershed, is drained into Leech River instead of into Sooke Lake, as has hitherto been thought. In consequence about 1,000 acres of land which drains into Jarvis Lake will not need to be purchased by the city. When the survey is completed the city will know exactly how much land must be purchased from the E. & N. Railway, previous estimates having placed the amount at approximately 15,000 acres. The price arranged with the company was $12.50 an acre.

Water Commissioner Rust returned to the city yesterday after a ten days' visit to the lake, during which he traversed a large section of the watershed. The survey work is going ahead rapidly, about eight men being employed. Some of the men were almost incapacitated for work for a day or two by reason of a species of blood poisoning occasioned, it is believed, by their being scratched with brambles of what is known as wild hemlock.

Rural Supply

With the completion of the Sooke Lake water works system residents in some of the rural districts along the pipe line are agitating for water service from the system. Residents in the Happy Valley district have applied for service, and like requests have come from Luxton and other points where population has gathered. In some of these cases the applicants desire the city to pay the cost of installing the pipe, but owing to the distances to be traversed Water Commissioner Rust refuses to make any such recommendation. On the other hand some connections have been made at the cost of the applicants.

In a short time the City Council will be presented with a petition from owners on Johnson Street, between Douglas and Store Streets, asking for the resurfacing of the roadway. The present pavement which has been down for a longer period than the term of the by-law under which it was authorized, is in very bad condition, and had financial conditions been more satisfactory this year the city would have initiated a new by-law to repave the thoroughfare. The owners are at present undecided whether to ask for the reblocking of the street or resurfacing with asphalt. The present concrete base is generally sound and can be utilized, thus greatly reducing the cost of making over the street.

Owners on a part of Cook Street, from Tolmie Road southerly are also urging that some grading work be done to make the roadway fit for traffic. At present it is in a bad condition, but could be made reasonably satisfactory at a comparatively small outlay.

HIGH SCHOOL CHARGES

Trustees Will Protest Against Council's Action in Raising Per Capita Figure

Formal protest will be made by the Board of School Trustees against the action of the city council in raising the figure which the board had decided was sufficient to cover the cost of educating pupils who attended the High School from outside districts.

Trustee Deaville at last evening's meeting, stated that he did not believe the public was generally aware that it was the city council which was responsible for the figure of $122. The board's estimate of cost had been $66. On his recommendation the board will inform the city council that it believes that the council would have been well advised if it had not increased the board's figure, as the action of the city would prove a detriment to education, besides imposing an unnecessary financial burden upon the outside districts.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

MARRIED

GRIME-MUNROE—On August 19th, at Christ Church Cathedral, by the Rev. F. L. Stevenson, of Duncan, B. C., W. Wallace Grime of this city, and Sarah Fraser, eldest daughter of Mrs. A. Munroe, of Rithet Street, Victoria, B. C.

DIED

KENNEDY—On the 18th inst. Andrew Kennedy, age 32, born Kilmarnock, Scotland, a resident of this city for the past ten years, late of St. George's Inn. The deceased leaves to mourn his loss besides a widow and little daughter, brothers and sisters in the East.

The funeral will take place Saturday at 3 o'clock, from the chapel of the Sands Funeral Co., 1612 Quadra Street. Interment Ross Bay Cemetery.

DINSLEY—Accidentally, on the 18th August, 1915, Ralph Ernest, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wm. Dinsley, of 892 John Street, aged 16 years. Born in Victoria, B. C. Besides his mother and father, one sister, Mrs. W. D. Grant, of Vancouver, survives. The deceased was a member of the Juvenile Foresters.

The funeral will take place from the above address on Saturday, August 21, at 3 p.m., where service will be held. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

HOOK—Killed in action at the Dardanelles on 7th August, Duncan Hook, 2nd Lieutenant, 9th Service Battalion, Lancashire Fusiliers, eldest son of Allan J. Hook, of Madrona, Cobble Hill, V. I., aged 27.

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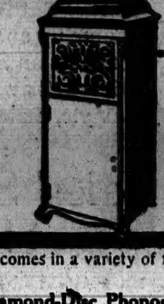

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"The Criminal," which is the three-reel feature that is being shown for the last three days of this week at the Royal Victoria Theatre, has a nicely balanced dramatic plot, and because of the skill exercised in its handling and the uniformly strong acting, one unconsciously overlooks the conventional relationship on which the big scenes are based. Miss Talmadge, who has the star role, and who takes the part of Nell, is an irresistibly sympathetic girl in her struggles to remain good despite the adverse influence of the nefarious Wells. It is a character that almost invites over-acting, yet this young actress reaches the emotions without once straining for effects, and always succeeds in conveying the thought behind the action.

"The Inventor's peril" is the other feature. Lovers of the sensational get a lively "run for their money" in this two-reel photoplay written by Adrian Gil-Spear. The inventor is not the only one in danger, startling events enveloping all the characters in a story that is anything from threadbare, and the acting of the different members of the cast bring it to a high state of efficiency.

Two excellent comedies and a scenic special, "A Tour Through Touraine" round off a programme that is well worth a visit.

SENDS PERSONAL MESSAGE

German Emperor Tries to Influence King Constantine to Remain Neutral

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Kaiser Wilhelm's personal guarantee that the Teutonic armies will protect Greece from attacks by the other Balkan nations in case King Constantine refuses to cede the port and hinterland of Kavala, in Macedonia, to Bulgaria, is reported today from Sofia to have been telegraphed to Athens. The Kaiser's promise of protection is declared to have been telegraphed personally to King Constantine.

This statement, received here from Sofia, is taken as indicating that Bulgaria's decision to enter the field with the entente powers is made. It is believed to be the last German effort to keep Greece out of the war, paralleling the dispatch of personal telegrams to King Victor Emmanuel of Italy by the Kaiser just prior to Italy's declaration of war on Austria.

Dance at Langford—A dance has been arranged to take place at the Langford Assembly rooms this evening. Excellent music has been provided and dancing will commence at 9 o'clock and continue until 1 o'clock. Those in charge have arranged with the Victoria Jitney Association to provide transportation to and from the hall, the tickets being good for the ride. Cars will leave Government Street at 8:15 o'clock.

In Women's Realm

BY MARIA LAWSON

MISS MARGUERITE NEILKA

Time

What thought can measure Time?—
Tell its beginning, name
The void from which it first, faint-pulsing came?—
Follow its onward going—
A restless river without tumult flowing—
Or with sure footing climb
Unto its unlit altitudes sublime?

What thought can trace the wonders it hath seen—
Time, the creator of all that hath been,
Giver of bounty where was dearth,
Bringer of miracles to birth:
Time through whose office is the seedling sown,
The fruit upgathered, the ripe harvest mown,
And beauty made to glorify the earth?

Before the land took shape and rose
Black and chaotic from the old, old sea,
Before the stars their courses chose,
Before the moon's most ancient memory,
Time to Earth's vision, veiled in night, appears
Back of the viewless cycles of the years.

The Hours, his little children, run
Lightly upon his errands ever;
By sure and swift relays is done
His will, disputed never;
The while these transient Hours infirm
Measure of mortal things the destined term.

Ah me, the days! the heavy-weighted years,
Each with its Spring and Winter, dusk and dawn!
The centuries, with all their joys, their tears,
That came, and now—so utterly are gone!
Gone whither? whither vanished so?
Does broad Orion, or does Hesper know?

There comes no answer. Are we dupes, indeed—
Offspring of Time, by Time relentless slain,
Our purest aspirations dreamed in vain?
Ah, no; man's soul indignant doth disdain
Ignoble vassalage to such a creed,
Well knowing it is free—
Aye, free!—for present, past and future blend,
The segments of a circle without end,
Losing themselves in one, unbourned Eternity!

—Florence Earle Coates.

A Singer

The power and influence of music is being felt, especially in these days when the emotions are being deeply stirred. It is not to be wondered at that in the women's as well as in other periodicals much space is being given to the notices of great singers.

Apart from this, no class has been more generous in its contributions to patriotic work than that which is made up of great musicians. Even in our own little city, we do not sufficiently realize the sacrifices to the public good made by singers and players.

Miss Marguerite Neilka is one of the London singers whose services are recognized by critics. She is a soprano singer who is also an accomplished linguist and an excellent violinist. Yet all her time is not devoted to her art, for she is proficient in many sports. Since the war began Miss Neilka has filled the post of organizing secretary of the Lambeth Red Cross Detachment.

War Workers

A glance at the illustrations in the English papers should show the women of Canada that their sisters in the Old Land are bearing war burdens of which here we have as yet little conception. Not only have their sons and husbands joined the forces but they themselves are working with all their might to supply those munitions of war, without which the sacrifice of life is unaviling.

The Hon. Lloyd George is authority for the statement that an army of 50,000 girls are engaged in making shells in the ammunition shops. Some of the workers in these and other factories are working overtime. We are told that even last February more than half the female leather workers were working overtime. In the woolen factories in Yorkshire, where uniforms are being made, the women go to work at six in the morning, returning at eight in the evening. To a more limited extent the women in the engineering and knitting shops exceed union labor hours. Cases are even cited where women have endangered their lives by such overpressure.

The whole story is not told even in the factories, for women bring work home and often spend the night as well as the day at work for which they are insufficiently paid. This is forbidden by the government orders, but it is stated that the machinery for preventing it is quite inadequate.

In the farming districts children have been released from school to take the places of some of the 160,000 farm laborers who have gone to the front. A late report shows that Mr. Henderson, the new minister of education, objects to the employment of children at low wages to fill the places of the men.

Those who see women in all sorts of unusual places carrying on the work of the country are filled with admiration for the self-devotion and public spirit shown by those who have volunteered for war service.

To those of us, and they are the great majority, who are enjoying a moderate degree of comfort and some of us more than that, in homes far away from the tumult and the discords of war, the example set by these plain working women who toil in the mills and factories of the Motherland, should be a call to greater self-sacrifice and deeper humility.

A British Columbia Nurse

One should not be astonished at anything in these days, and yet it is surprising to learn from The Vancouver Province that a British Columbia girl is already nursing in the Caucasus, where we read lately the Russians have been victorious. The young lady is Miss Gertrude Nicol, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nicol, Point Grey Road. The account says that Miss Nicol was travelling in Russia at the outbreak of the war and that she entered a Red Cross hospital to undergo a course of training. We are not told whether or not she was a nurse before, but a bright girl learns fast when she knows that millions of wounded men are needing help such as a trained nurse only can give. Miss Nicol has sent home a letter from her new post at Alexandrople, between Batum and Kars. It will be read with interest by nurses and many besides. It shows what women accustomed to all the comforts and conveniences and many of the refinements of civilization can bear cheerfully for the sake of her fellow beings.

The letter seems to have been written at the beginning of Summer and tells us that:

"It is now four days since I arrived in Alexandrople, where I have been sent by the Red Cross Society. We had rather an awful time getting here, too. As there was not room on the cab for both of us and the luggage, the nurse who was going with me went on ahead with the luggage and I walked to the station, accompanied by a friend. We were not half way there when a terrible rainstorm came up and in spite of our umbrellas we were soaked literally to the skin. My garments were clinging to me like wet sheets and my shoes were like paper pulp. Then there were no seats in the train and we had to stand nearly all night. It was not until 3 o'clock the next day that we arrived, the other sister and myself, a woman doctor who went with us, and our six 'sanitaries' (Red Cross soldiers). We had some dinner at the barracks, which is known as 'Cossacks' Post.'

"Alexandrople is a queer little town, as much like one of our Prairie towns as it is possible for an Oriental town to be like a Western one. It is situated on a plateau in the mountains at an altitude of 4,000 feet. The population is composed almost entirely of Armenians, but the military element is, of course, Russian. The inhabitants dress much more gaudily than the people of Tiflis, and to see a cartload of them going by or a group in front of their houses, or on the roofs of them, which is much more common, gives very much the same effect as do the bunches of field flowers which we gather every day, and which include poppies, cornflowers, daisies and buttercups. The post is about three-quarters of an hour's walk from the town, and a galloping cab horse with rings on his fingers and bells on his toes and all sorts of Christmas tree ornaments and red silk tassels flying in the breeze will take us there for thirty cents in about ten minutes.

"There are thirty-eight buildings already in use and still many more to be fitted up for the wounded and medical staff. As this is a 'receiving point' we get out patients straight from the front and will have beds for 2,000 soldiers and officers. Our particular pavilion, which is not yet ready for patients, is a small one, but will be a very important one. We will receive the poor fellows who have nervous and mental troubles. Those who are wounded or ill will be kept here until they are cured of their physical ills and then sent off to sanatoria or asylums, and the others are sent in at once to Tiflis in trains especially designed for such cases.

"We live in the most primitive fashion, not much better than the soldiers themselves. In fact, our first evening here was so depressing that we were almost tempted to run away. The barracks, which are now used as hospitals, are all built of a black, volcanic stone, which is found in the neighborhood, and anything more ghastly in the shape of buildings is hard to imagine. Our room, or rather cell, for it has iron bars across the windows, contained, when we arrived, two beds, made of wooden slats and mattresses stuffed with hay, and a wooden bench. After much persuasion of the doctor and bribing of the servants, we succeeded in getting a tin water can and a little wooden pig trough to serve as a wash basin, also a table and a very unsteady lamp. Our doctor, who came with us, and who is a very clever and energetic woman, has ordered all sorts of comforts for us up from Tiflis. They are expected to arrive today and they include new camp beds, new mattresses, a washstand and even sheets and pillow cases.

"The food, too, is sometimes of a quality to make me dread the sound of the big bell which summons us all to dinner in the common dining-room. At other times it is quite eatable, and my friend and I already have quite a supply of biscuits, cheese and fruit on hand and we have the monopoly of three hens that occasionally lay eggs. Our doctor brought us a big box of delicious Tiflis sweets yesterday. My friend and I are quite the creme de la creme of the nurses here owing to our being, of the fifty sisters here, the only two sent by the Red Cross Society. The others belong to a society called 'The Union of the Cities,' and are almost all without certificates, the authorities being forced to take them on account of the scarcity of nurses and the fact that very few care to come out here and rough it.

"As our building will not be opened for two weeks we are not busy yet and it is very dull for us. We go for walks through the fields of wild mustard and brown caterpillars, and we go into town whenever we like and are much envied for this by the other nurses. They have to conform to very strict discipline and are not allowed to wear the Red Cross uniform at all. The fact that we may go about in full uniform, have six soldiers to wait on us and a pig trough all our own, with the hope of a real washstand to come, makes us very important people at the Cossacks' Post. We shall soon be busy enough and I shall be glad of it, for it is tiresome waiting."

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Trustees Approve of Personnel of Teachers for Various Public Schools for the Coming Term.

The assignment of teachers of the public schools for the coming term, which will open on Monday morning next, was approved by the Board of School Trustees at a special meeting last night. Comparatively few changes from last term were made. But one new appointment was made to the staff, that of Mr. Emsley Yeo, a Victoria student, recently graduated from McGill University. The appointments of domestic science teacher and physical instructor were laid over, though in the latter position Miss Jarvis will act temporarily until a permanent appointment is made. The assignment of teachers will be as follows:

High School—S. J. Willis (principal), E. H. Russell, Miss J. A. Cann, P. H. Elliott, Miss Edna Henry, A. G. Smith, L. J. Cranston, J. A. Armstrong, Miss G. D. Burris, Miss A. Macleod, E. W. Hamilton-Smith, Arthur Yates, Miss L. Whelen, F. Andrews, H. L. Smith, Gordon Downes, T. W. Cornett, Miss J. I. Macleod, F. C. Wood, E. W. Clarke, Miss M. Hamilton, Leonard Richardson.

Boys' Central—J. A. Cunningham, Thomas Steward, A. H. Marrion, Miss K. Scanlon, Miss E. F. Roberts, W. D. Knott, Miss G. E. Millar, Miss L. M. Sylvester, Miss B. J. Hinds, Miss L. Johnson, Miss M. Gibson. Two rooms have been dispensed with.

Girls' Central—Miss M. Williams, Miss E. A. F. Barron, Miss S. A. Robinson, Miss A. Keast, Miss W. M. Fox, Miss E. MacNaughton, Miss A. K. Andrew, Miss M. H. Pennington, Miss M. I. Gladstone, Miss Rhoda Sherwood, Miss F. A. Brown, Miss A. L. Johnston.

Bank—Miss A. M. Paterson, Miss M. E. Blankenbach, Miss Marjory Greig, Miss E. W. MacMurray.

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Burnside—Thomas W. Hall, Miss Jean Polson, Miss C. N. Burridge, Miss K. Coates, Miss L. Townsend.

Fernwood—Miss M. E. Lehman, Miss Alice Miller.

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Quadra—Miss V. E. M. Sweet, Miss J. M. Duncan, Miss May C. Frank, Miss W. G. Hauck.

Rock Bay—Miss C. German, Mrs. M. Y. Wheeler.

Sir James Douglas—Ernest Campbell, D. J. Thomas, Miss J. Thompson, Miss N. Jones, Miss S. Hiscocks, Miss Beth T. Ramsay, Miss G. E. Karemsin, Miss Winnifred Greig, Miss Ruth George.

Margaret Jenkins—Miss Gardner, Miss A. E. Andrews, Miss Elsie Guy, Miss G. Field.

South Park—A. A. Campbell, Walter Brown, Miss C. M. Lang, R. L. Henning, Miss C. Stoddart, Donald A. Fraser, Miss Jean Roberts, Miss J. C. Roberts.

Spring Ridge—Miss Isla Tuck, Miss M. O'Rourke, Miss C. M. Martin, Miss May M. Clark.

Victoria West—J. F. Sallaway, Philip H. Hughes, Miss M. A. B. Pope, Miss N. M. McKillican, Miss E. Le Clercq, Miss S. Mercer, Miss D. A. Fox, Miss O. M. Hayes, Miss O. G. Lister, Miss A. N. Anderson.

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DECK TRIMMINGS BURNT FOR FUEL

British Freighter Calliope Limped Into Honolulu Yesterday With Coal Bunkers Empty

HONOLULU, Aug. 19.—Three days late and burning the wooden trimmings from her decks to keep steam up, the British freighter Calliope limped into port today. Delayed by rough weather, the Calliope ran short of coal several days ago and finally the captain resorted to burning parts of the vessels trimmings.

The Calliope is on her way to New York with hemp from the Philippines by way of Panama Canal. She was twenty-eight days in making Honolulu.

TIDES AT VICTORIA

August, 1915

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The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning. The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of lower low water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the Dry Dock at any tide, add 18.9 feet to the height of high water as above given.

Dr. Ford Verrinder, dentist, has resumed practice. 310 Campbell Building. Phone 3575.

WHITE STAR LINE HAD GREAT RECORD

Prior to Loss of Arabic, Company's Transatlantic Ships Had Maintained Uninterrupted Sailings.

Since the outbreak of war the White Star Line has maintained a weekly sailing out of Liverpool and New York, but with the destruction of the liner Arabic by a German submarine yesterday this splendid record was broken and one of the finest of the one-cabin ships afloat passed from the high seas. The Arabic is the first ship of the great White Star fleet to fall a victim to the German submarines.

The Arabic was a steamer of large capacity and immense power, planned on similar lines to the steamships Celtic and Cedric, being a twin-screw vessel, built of steel and having four masts. She was the product of the famous shipbuilding yards of Harland & Wolff, Ltd., and during the early stages of her career won popularity among discriminating voyagers. For many years the Arabic operated between Liverpool and New York, carrying three classes of passengers. She was recently converted into a one-class steamer, carrying cabin and third-class passengers only, a type of ship that has become very popular on the Atlantic.

The principal dimensions of the Arabic were: Length over all, 616 feet; beam, 56 feet; moulded depth, 45 feet; with a gross tonnage of 15,801 tons.

Her engines, of 10,000 horsepower, were of the quadruple expansion, balanced, quiet-action type, and capable of a speed of over 16 knots. Last Winter the Arabic was operated in the Liverpool-Canadian trade, touching at Halifax, en route to Boston.

In former Winter seasons she was utilized as a cruising steamer, visiting Madeira, Spain, the Mediterranean countries, Egypt, Palestine, Greece and Turkey, in the service of the White Star Line. Following the requisitioning of a number of the regular Atlantic steamships for Government service after the outbreak of war, the Arabic was placed in the Liverpool-New York trade, operating in this service in conjunction with the steamships Adriatic, Cymric, Baltic and Lapland.

This is the second loss the White Star Line has sustained since the outbreak of war, the liner Oceanic, which had been commandeered by the Admiralty, having been wrecked off the Scottish coast last year.

WIRELESS REPORT

(By Government Wireless)

6 p. m.

Point Grey—Clear; N. W.; 30.07; 76; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Clear; N. W.; 30.02; 78; sea smooth.

Pachena—Clear; calm; 29.70; 70; sea smooth.

Estevan—Clear; N. W. light; 29.82; 65; sea moderate.

Alert Bay—Clear; calm; 30.02; 64; sea smooth.

Triangle—Clear; N. W.; 30.21; 60; sea moderate.

Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; calm; 30.21; 64; sea smooth.

Ikeda Bay—Clear; N. W., strong; 30.05; 62; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Clear; calm; 30.21; 66; sea smooth.

TRAVEL IS HEAVY BY G. T. P. BOATS

Many Through Passengers Embarked Here Aboard SS. Prince George—Increased Transcontinental Business.

With all her Victoria space taken up the Grand Trunk Pacific steamship Prince George, Captain D. Donald, left port at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon for Prince Rupert via Vancouver. A marked increase in through travel to Eastern Canada is reported by C. F. Earle, local passenger agent. Many of the passengers carried by the Prince George from Victoria yesterday were booked to Eastern points from Prince Rupert via the G. T. P. transcontinental railway, which line was recently opened from coast to coast via Winnipeg and Toronto.

Among the passengers who boarded the Prince George here yesterday afternoon were: Miss M. Carolyn, Miss M. Munro, Mr. W. O'Neil, Mr. C. R. Murray, Mr. F. Losten, Mrs. Anderson, Miss Mary McCallum, Mr. G. H. Fletcher, Mrs. W. A. Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Leys, Mr. H. Miller, Mr. J. Miller, Mr. William McBride, Miss E. Johnston, Mrs. D. J. Anderson and Mr. T. M. Scott.

Some forty passengers passed through from Seattle, and the balance of the cabin space was taken at Vancouver, from which port the Prince George sailed last night for the northern terminal. The list carried by the Prince George on her present voyage is estimated to be the largest since the tri-weekly service was inaugurated. On her last northern voyage the Prince George carried a large number of Chinese brought in by the liner Talthybius from the Orient. The Prince Rupert, Captain Duncan McKenzie, of the same fleet, is due to make port at 10:30 o'clock tonight from Prince Rupert via Vancouver. Southbound travel is much heavier than northbound at the present time, and the Prince Rupert is reported to have a capacity list aboard.

DISCOVERER HERE ON SECOND VOYAGE

Harrison Steamer Was Thirty-Six Days in Steaming From Glasgow—Lifeboats Were Swung While in War Zone.

Thirty-six days out from Glasgow the Harrison-Direct steamer Discoverer, Capt. Rushforth, steamed to a berth at the Outer Docks at 8 o'clock last night. The Clyde port was left behind on July 14 and the freighter steamed without a stop until San Pedro was reached. The Discoverer left San Francisco on Monday afternoon and was seventy-seven hours in making the run from the California port to Victoria.

Dense fog was encountered immediately after passing out of the Golden Gate, and on Monday night a strong northwest gale broke and continued until she was abreast of the Columbia River. With practically all her cargo out of her the Discoverer was riding high out of the water and this fact made her somewhat difficult to handle in the heavy seas. The vessel was drawing but twelve feet of water forward when she docked here last night.

Capt. Rushforth reports an uneventful voyage out from the United Kingdom. No submarines were sighted as the vessel made her way out to sea from the St. George's Channel, but every precaution was taken and all boats were swung outward on the davits to be ready in case of emergency.

Experience at Panama

No delays were experienced in the Panama Canal, although the canal authorities were having considerable trouble with slides in the Gaillard Cut. According to Capt. Rushforth there was only twenty-one feet of water at this particular section of the canal, and the Discoverer was drawing slightly over nineteen feet. However she just scraped through the two buoys marking the fairway and in places she almost touched bottom.

When through the Gaillard Cut, the Discoverer sighted the steamer Merchant, of the same fleet, homeward bound to the United Kingdom, but the latter vessel was drawing too much water and was delayed in getting through. She was being towed backwards from the entrance to the cut when sighted by the inbound ship.

This is the second voyage Capt. Rushforth has made to Victoria in command of the Discoverer, the vessel making her maiden trip here last December. Since that time she has made a voyage from England to Calcutta and back.

Prior to taking over the command of the Discoverer Capt. Rushforth made several voyages here aboard the Harrison steamer Candidate, which vessel, earlier in the year, was sunk by a German submarine. Capt. Sandiford, who had previously been here with the vessel, was in command of the Candidate at the time she was sunk. The master of the Discoverer states that Capt. Sandiford has since been transferred to the steamer Chancellor.

For Victoria the Discoverer brought in 500 tons of cargo, which includes about 300 tons of waterpipe consigned to the Saanich municipality. Cargo will be worked early this morning and the vessel is posted to clear for Vancouver tonight. She has about 500 tons for the Mainland port. For the homeward voyage the Discoverer is to load direct for Liverpool.

AN UNUSUAL DECKLOAD

Freighter Merionethshire Carries Giant Flag-Pole From Vancouver to United Kingdom

The Royal Mail steamer Merionethshire, which shifted from Vancouver to Nanaimo on Wednesday night, shipped at the Mainland port as a deckload the 214-foot 6-inch flag pole which is to be erected at Kew Gardens.

The big pole is a gift from the Provincial Government and comes from the Gordon Pasha Lake limits of Messrs. Brooks, Scanlon & O'Brien. The original length of the big stick was 260 feet.

The just law gives to each incarnating soul freedom of will to choose the power to create its own world of thought and feeling. But each man must abide by his own creation.—Lydia Ross.

LINERS SELL FOR SEVEN MILLIONS

Pacific Mail Company Still Owns Seven Steamers, but These Will Be Disposed of Soon

NEW YORK, Aug. 19—Seven million dollars was the price paid the Pacific Mail Steamship Company for the five steamships recently acquired by the Atlantic Transport Company, according to a report current in financial circles here. Details of the sale, it was said, will be made public soon.

The Pacific Mail still owns seven ships, which, according to the steamship company, will be disposed of in a short time, bringing the cash proceeds of the sale of its ships up to $9,000,000. In April the Pacific Mail had working assets of $2,713,234 and working liabilities of about $258,309.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 19.—With the Pacific Mail Company practically withdrawn from the Oriental trade, the Mongolia is to steam for the Far East on Wednesday loaded to capacity with freight and taking all passengers which her cabins will accommodate. Her holds will be filled to capacity with cargo from this port for ports of China and Manila.

Besides the Mongolia, the only vessel of the Pacific Mail fleet to steam for the Orient will be the British steamer Persia, Captain John Hill, which will leave this port September 15. The Persia, flying the British flag, is not included in the sale agreement between the Pacific Mail Company and the International Mercantile Marine, and may make even another voyage to the Orient after that which starts next month.

No plans have been made for a further departure of the Persia, but when the vessel returns to San Francisco it may be that there will be sufficient inducements to send the vessel to the Orient again, in spite of her small passenger accommodations and freight possibilities.

DEEP SEA MOVEMENTS

LONDON, Aug. 16.—Arrived: Str Gryfevale, from Bellingham, via way ports.

ANTOFAGASTA, Aug. 17.—Arrived: Str William Chatham, from San Francisco.

CALCUTTA, Aug. 15.—Sailed: Str Sequoya, for San Francisco.

NEWCASTLE, N. S. W., Aug. 17.—Sailed: Str Cycle, for San Francisco.

TIENTSIN, Aug. 17.—Sailed: Str Tascalusca, for San Francisco.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Aug. 17.—Sailed: Str Elvaston, for Astoria.

UMATILLA GOES SOUTH

Large Number of Bookings Have Been Made for Sailing of Pacific Coast Steamer Today

About fifty passengers are due to embark aboard the Pacific Coast Steamship Company's steamer Umatilla, Capt. Ludlow, prior to the departure of that vessel this morning for San Francisco.

The Umatilla is posted to get away from port about 8 o'clock.

The steamer City of Puebla, of the same fleet, left the Golden Gate yesterday afternoon and is expected to arrive here on Sunday morning.

MAIL LINER LEAVING

With all her passenger and cargo space taken up the Japanese mail liner Yokohama Maru will leave Victoria late this afternoon on her outward voyage to ports in the Far East.

The liner is posted to clear from Seattle this forenoon and is expected to dock here at 5 p. m. At least four cabin and fifty steerage passengers will embark at the Outer Docks, and a big consignment of mail will also be shipped from this port by the liner.

IN CHARTER MARKET

Steamer Orange River Expected to Secure Grain or Lumber Fixture for Australia

No outward charter has yet been arranged for the British steamer Orange River, which passed up to Vancouver this week from the Orient with general cargo for the C. P. R. It is probable that she will secure a grain or lumber charter for Australia. Messrs. Dodwell & Co. are agents for the vessel. The Orange River is due to clear from Vancouver today for Seattle, for which port she has about 300 tons.

BIG HARRISON SHIP NEARING PANAMA ZONE

Liner Civilian Scheduled to Make Victoria by September 13—Merchant Is Substituted for Sculptor.

Closely following the Discoverer to this port in the Harrison-Direct service is the British freighter Civilian, which is at present nearing the Panama zone from Great Britain. The announcement was made yesterday by Mr. Harold Cove, local agent for Balfour, Guthrie & Co., general agents for the Harrison-Direct Line, that the Civilian is due to reach Victoria about September 13. The Civilian sailed from Liverpool on August 3 and from Glasgow on August 11.

The steamer Sculptor was scheduled to take the September sailing from England to this Coast, but it is now understood that the Merchant will be substituted for her. The Civilian is one of the largest vessels to be sent out here by the Harrison Line, being a vessel of over 5,000 net tons register. She is commanded by Capt. Gaudie, a skipper hailing from the Shetland Islands, who is making his first voyage in the company's service to the North Pacific.

Capacity outward cargoes are being carried by all vessels plying from this Coast to the United Kingdom, and the Harrison vessels are no exception to the rule. The Civilian is bringing out a fair cargo, and she will load over 10,000 tons for the return voyage. It is expected that this vessel will include in her cargo a valuable mineral exhibit destined for the new British Columbia building in London.

THE TIME BALL

The time ball on the Belmont Building will be raised half-mast high at 12:45 p. m., to the top at 12:55 p. m. and will be dropped at 1 p. m. daily.

F. NAPIER DENISON,
Superintendent.
The Observatory,
Gonzales Heights.

PLEADS FOR BETTER UNDERSTANDING

Mr. H. B. Thomson Says Resources of Great Interior Are Not Appreciated by Dwellers in Coast Cities.

A plea for a better understanding of the resources and the possibilities of the remoter sections of British Columbia, by the more populous Coast centres, was the keynote of an address delivered before the Rotary Club meeting yesterday by Mr. H. B. Thomson, M. P. P. Mr. C. H. French, B. C. district manager for the Hudson's Bay Co., preceded Mr. Thomson with a few words emphasizing the vastness of the British Columbia interior and its latent resources.

Mr. Thomson came before the meeting fresh from extended travels along the Coast and to the upper Cassiar District by way of the Stikine River. The impression gained on this trip was of the bigness of the Interior, its latent possibilities, and the apparent indifference of southern British Columbia to these two points. Speaking of the Cassiar, he reminded his hearers that 105,-150,000 acres are included in the district. Development was slight, facilities were few, but potential riches great. He recalled the great factor mining development had been in the opening up of the remote Interior, as well as in populating the Coast centres. The rushes to the Fraser, the Cariboo, the Omineca, the Cassiar and the Atlin districts had in succession brought British Columbia to the fore.

Press Is Criticised

Comparison was made between the arduous trail of Thibert, who consumed the interval between '69 and '72 in the quest which developed the Dease Lake district to be a producer of one million in gold in one year, with the ease of his own recent trip into the same territory. Developments and improvements followed Thibert into the north, but neither are at present commensurate with the latent wealth of the country. There is need for more interest from the outside, and incidentally Mr. Thomson accuses local newspapers of being remiss in giving publicity to the interests of Provincial development.

The speaker considered that agricultural development, of which there is ample prospect in the Cassiar, would of necessity rely on a local market. Such a market would be provided in the course of the development of the mineral resources, and when British Columbia returns to a productive basis there will be prosperity in plenty. He described the ease of livelihood in the past as having robbed the West of the initiative to development. When that initiative is restored, the vast Interior of the Province will come into its own. The operative forces at present stagnant in the cities are needed in the thousands of square miles of undeveloped hinterland.

Mr. Thomson regretted that, whereas Prince Rupert has captured the fishing industry from her northern neighbors, Victoria continues to buy fish that reach here from Prince Rupert, via Seattle, heedless of the resources of its own adjacent waters.

ALLOWANCES TO ITALIANS

Canadian Patriotic Fund Will Make Monthly Payments to Dependents of Reservists

OTTAWA, Aug. 19.—The question of Italian reservists in Canada has been taken up by the Canadian Patriotic Fund committee. It has been agreed that these should be paid at a fixed rate of $16 per month for each woman and $2 per month for each child. The Italian Government's separation allowance to soldiers' wives is $4 per month and $2 per month for each child. The Patriotic Fund officials do not expect that the call upon the money of the fund will be heavy. Only about 300 or 400 Italians, mostly reservists, have gone back to their country to take up arms.

If a general call for Italians is made then the added obligations of the Canadian Patriotic Fund will be great.

BANK MERGER POSTPONED

No Application Yet Made to Amalgamate Royal Bank and Bank of Hamilton

OTTAWA, Aug. 19.—It is considered improbable that anything will be done for a couple of weeks in connection with the proposed merger of Royal and Hamilton Banks. While representatives of the two banks discussed a tentative merger plan yesterday with the Hon. W. T. White, Minister of Finance, it is definitely stated that no formal application for the authorisation of a merger, under the terms of the new Bank Act, was left with the minister.

There is said to be a probability that the merger may not go through and that no such application will be made to the Department.

ALLIES IN AGREEMENT

Governments of Entente Powers Will Shortly Declare Cotton Contraband of War

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—"The Allied Governments have agreed on the principle that cotton is contraband of war. The exact date when this announcement will be made is still under consideration, as well as other details connected with the proclamations."

This statement was authorized today at the British Embassy.

As soon as the official announcement is made it will be disclosed also that the Allied Governments are prepared to stand behind the market to prevent ruinous depression of prices and minimise hardships to planters.

NON-UNION ORCHESTRAS

Portland Picture Theatres Side With Vaudeville Houses in Long-Standing Dispute

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 19.—Managers of all motion picture theatres today dismissed their union musicians and employed non-union players in their places.

This action was taken in support of the vaudeville theatres in a controversy with the union musicians, which has been pending for several months. All theatres in Portland now have non-union orchestras.

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Another Big Bargain Sale of Suits

Regular Values to $22.50. Special Price $8.75

Quite a number of different styles to choose from. They are all smartly tailored in semi-novelty styles and are made up from splendid quality materials in several good colors. In last week's sale many people were disappointed by being late. These will go on sale this morning 8:30 sharp. Be early.

Sale of Silk and Moire Hand Bags

Values to $2.75. Special Price $1.00

35 only of these beautiful new Bags. They are all made in correct shapes for the Fall season. Some are made in the jug shape with fancy metal lids. Most of them are fitted inside with small mirror and coin purse. Colors are black, black and grey stripe, Belgian blue, pearl grey, battleship grey and brown. On sale today at 8:30 a.m.

Gordon's Special Corset

This Corset is made specially for us by the makers of Thomson's famous Corset. They are made of fine quality coutil, with six supporters, and are guaranteed rustproof. Our special price $1.75

Clearing Out All Wash Dresses

You will find several styles, all suitable to beach or outing wear. The materials used are all serviceable qualities. We have only a limited number of these, so that an early selection is advisable. Special prices, $1.90 and $2.90

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Dainty New Waists, very special.................................... 90¢
Middy Waists, in new styles. Special.................................... $1.00
Hose, Women's Cotton. Prices, pair, 15c and .... 25¢
Hose, Children's Rib Knit. Prices, per pair .... 20¢
House Dresses, made of good quality gingham. Prices 90c to $1.50

UNITARIANS ARE GIVEN WELCOME

Large Meeting at Alexandra Club Well Patronized—Spokesmen Speak on Character of New Religion.

The public meeting held last evening at the Alexandra Club hall for the purpose of welcoming the visiting Unitarians and allowing the leading spokesmen among the visitors to explain their mission was well attended, the large room being crowded to capacity. Among those present were about two hundred of the visitors. The speakers of the evening were Mrs. Anna Garlin Spencer, Ph.D., professor of sociology at Meadville, Pennsylvania; Rev. Dr. Samuel McChord Crothers, Dr. E. Boydon, and Alderman Bell, who welcomed the guests on behalf of the city. Rev. H. E. B. Speight presided.

Dr. Boydon, the first speaker, confined his address to the characteristics and progress of Unitarianism. He referred to it as the "new emphasis" in religion. The time had come when religion was not the same as it had been twenty-five or fifty years ago, and Unitarianism had taken the good from the old ideas and made religion better adapted to modern times. The new belief was a pioneer of religions, yet progressive. It stood for the prophetic and human spirit, and from it the great benefits afforded by Nature could be utilized to the full. The breadth of the new emphasis was cosmic and ever expanding, and it gave greater scope to religion than it had ever had, according to Dr. Boydon.

Professor Spencer, one of the few women sociological teachers in the United States, gave an address, in which she endeavored to point out how well suited Canada was for Unitarianism. She said that no reformer was the owner or maker of the reform, but that the reform would do its own part in gathering followers. It was therefore not for her nor anyone else to force the religion. It was simply for the people themselves to realize its benefits. With regard to woman's part in sociology, she said that both men and women should put their shoulders to the task of bettering the world, for there was an infinite improvability of human life.

In Nature of Pilgrimage

Rev. Dr. Crothers, in introducing his remarks, said that the present tour of Unitarians was the revival of ancient pilgrimages, and that it could not but have a benefiting effect upon all those engaged. He spoke of the inspiration that had been given while they travelled through the wonderland of Canada. He said that Unitarianism was the result of a forward movement from the old ideas of religion, and he expounded at considerable length the privileges to be derived therefrom.

Alderman Bell, on behalf of the city, tendered the visiting Unitarians a cordial welcome to the city in a short address. During the proceedings vocal selections were rendered by Mrs. McConnan.

The number of Unitarians now in the city is nearly three hundred. They are on their way to the Unitarian general congress at San Francisco, and reached this city yesterday afternoon via Vancouver. They are at present quartered at the Empress Hotel, and will remain in the city today, and this afternoon, continue their journey, proceeding to Seattle on the 4:30 boat. On their arrival here they were met by Mr. Herbert Cuthbert, industrial commissioner, who arranged their itinerary and sightseeing around the city today.

HOSPITAL UNITS SAFE

Surgeon-General Jones Cables That Canadian Red Cross Detachments Have Reached Egypt

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Surgeon-General Jones, of the Canadian Red Cross, who is in close touch with the Canadian Record Office in London, authorises the statement that all three of the hospital units from Canada on the way to the Dardanelles have arrived in safety and that there were no Canadians on the transport Royal Edward, which was torpedoed in the Aegean Sea. Rumors of the loss of some Canadian nurses are groundless.

The three hospital units referred to, all of which went on the Asturias, were No. 1 Stationary Hospital, in charge of Colonel McKee; No. 3 Stationery Hospital, under Colonel Casgrain, and No. 5 at Cairo.

PRESSURE SLACKENING

Workers in Munition Factories Will Be Given Periodical Holidays—Show Signs of "Fag"

BIRMINGHAM, Eng., Aug. 19.—Throughout Central England there recently has been slackening of the pressure upon workmen to put in excessively long hours at munitions work. It is also announced that brief half-holiday periods of from one to four days will be granted, at intervals of about two months, to men and women who are putting in practically seven days a week.

The explanation is that workpeople began to show signs of "fag" under the constant employment at the bench or machine and the directors of the factories decided that it would be in the interests of future output to sacrifice a few days now and then.

WILL HELP TO MOVE CROP

National Transcontinental Purchases Rolling Stock to Be Ready by September 1

OTTAWA, Aug. 19.—The National Transcontinental Railway, this season, for the first time, will be a factor in the movement of the grain crop of the West. Extensive preparations have been made by the Hon. Frank Cochrane, Minister of Railways, and the N. T. R., together with the Grand Trunk Pacific, is prepared to handle its share of the crop, which the officials place at 30,-000,000 bushels.

A large amount of new rolling stock has been ordered, and it is expected will be ready when the big movement eastward begins. Twenty new powerful engines are under contract to be delivered by September 1, while 1,000 freight cars are being built to be ready at the same time.

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WANTED—By a girl attending high school, a home in return for light services. Apply Box 1553, Colonist.

WANTED—Room and board, private family. State terms. Box 1607, Colonist.

WANTED—Room and board for invalid wife and husband, and care of same, for $35 per month. Apply Box 1563, Colonist.

FLATS OR APARTMENTS

A FEW suites, furnished or unfurnished, at reduced rents; free telephones; no car fares. Savoy Mansions, phone 4032R.

AILSA Mansions, Cook and Collinson Streets; suites for rent at reduced rates. Apply Janitor, Suite 3, or phone 2951.

AN attractive suite at "The Broadway," 442 Superior Street.

AT Hampton Court, Cook and Leonard, unfurnished suites, consisting of five and four rooms; delightfully situated opposite Beacon Hill Park, two minutes' walk from sandy beach and a block from car line.

AT Mount Edwards, Vancouver Street, furnished and unfurnished suites; large rooms, car fares saved; rents reduced; close in.

AT October Mansion, Fort and Cook Streets, unfurnished suites, 3 and 4 rooms.

BRIGHT, cheerful four-room flat, furnished, Fairfield district, 456 Chester.

DEVEREUX Agency has two apartment flats, fully furnished suite, modern, pleasant locality. No. 1, four large rooms, with piano, $20. No. 2, three rooms, $12. Apply 647 Fort Street, upstairs.

FURNISHED apartments, Beacon Hill Park; modern, reasonable. Phone R2566.

GLENGARRY, 316 Cook Street, up-to-date. Phones 5195 or 5337L.

MORRISON Mansions, Hilda and Chester, Fairfield, near park; good suites, furnished or unfurnished.

MOUNT Douglas Apartments, Fort and Pandora Streets; single or double suites, furnished or unfurnished. P. R. Brown, agent, or Suite 9. Phone 3426R.

MOUNT View, Joseph and Bushby, $10; furnished $14. Campbell's, 1007 Government Street.

OLYMPIC Apartments, 1120 May Street, facing park. Furnished apartments to rent, of 4 and 2 rooms, per week or monthly. Phone 3132.

THREE or 5-room flat, furnished, new, piano; reasonable. 1007 Collinson St.

TO Rent—Furnished apartments, piano, bath, $12 up. Phone 5483.

FOR RENT—HOUSES

A MODERN 5-room house, Victoria West; garden, with fruit trees well laden. Phone 3647L.

FAIRFIELD—Modern house, full basement, furnace, laundry tubs, etc., close in, $15 per month. Phone 4881X.

FOR Rent—Oak Bay, 3 rooms, large garden, $25 month. Phone 2674.

HOUSES to let, furnished and unfurnished. Apply E. A. Harris, 1018 Douglas.

MODERN, seven rooms, 329 Michigan.

SEVEN-room house, central, Victoria West, $14. 750 Market St.

SIX-room house with garage, Carnation Avenue, furnished, $30; will rent unfurnished. 22 Winch Bldg.

TO Let—Modern, unfurnished 7-room house, Hamley Street, $35 a month; will give long lease. Apply phone 1672R.

TWO 4-room houses, good basement, one block from George Jay School and car line. Box 1546, Colonist.

$15 MONTH, very pleasant five-roomed bungalow, best part James Bay, vacant by September 1, phone 4853L.

$8.00 PER month, 5-room house to let, 1462 Hillside, Oaklands.

WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

FIVE to seven-room modern house. 409 Sayward Bldg. Phone 2301.

WANTED—To lease for three years with option of purchase, good modern house and few acres of land near Victoria. Box 1610, Colonist.

WANTED to rent, 5 or 6-room bungalow, James Bay; cement basement. Box 1602, Colonist.

WANTED to rent, 4 or 5-room modern house in Victoria West, no children. Apply, stating rent, to Box 872, Colonist.

FURNISHED HOUSES TO LET

BEAUTIFULLY furnished 6-room bungalow, furnace, close Fort, $25. Apply 1915 Duchess Street.

COMFORTABLE furnished shack on Gorge Road, for rent, $6.50 per month, good cookstove, light and water paid. P.O. Box 816.

FIVE-room modern house, furnace, $20. 2341 Lee Avenue.

FOR Rent—Comfortable, modern 7-room furnished house, with piano, at moderate rental. Phone 3361L, or apply 457 Quebec Street.

FURNISHED 5-room modern house, facing sea; close to park and car; low rent. Phone 3292R.

FURNISHED, three rooms, light, $15; 2-room apartment, sink. Foxgord's, 1609 Douglas. Phone 4703L.

FURNISHED house, 5 rooms, $15 monthly. 1907 Collinson Street.

NEW and beautifully furnished house, six rooms and maid's; hot water heating, five minutes from the beach and Shoal Bay car. Rent $36 per month. Phone 4565L1 and a car will meet you.

NICELY furnished 4-roomed fully modern bungalow. Fairfield, close in. Phone 2404.

WELL-furnished 5-room bungalow, furnace, plate, linen; close car, $20. Phone 3591R.

WANT—FURNISHED HOUSES

FURNISHED bungalow, piano, good location; rent must be moderate. Box 1576, Colonist.

WANTED—By refined couple, comfortably furnished bungalow, piano, central, moderate rent. Box 1602, Colonist.

WANTED—Completely furnished house, about seven rooms, Oak Bay preferred. State price. Box 1535, Colonist.

WANTED—Furnished house, five or six rooms, James Bay or Fairfield preferred. Box 1620, Colonist.

WANTED—Modern house, furnished or unfurnished. Must have large garden and not less than 6 bedrooms and 3 reception rooms. P. A. Crump, Oak Bay Hotel.

POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

BEAUTIFUL singing canaries. 1350 Bay Street.

BLACK horse, democrat wagon and harness. 725 Johnson Street.

CANARIES for sale from $1 up. W. J. Palmer, 1401 Monterey Ave.

CASH and building lumber to exchange for cow. Apply C. F. Swain, 505 Sayward Block.

FOR Sale—Shetland pony, cart and harness, very quiet; will sell cheap. Apply 725 Johnson Street.

FOR Sale—A good farm team, six years old, weight about 1,600 lbs. each. Apply to 1264 Gladstone Avenue, phone 3095L.

FOR Sale—English bull pups; some beauties; highest pedigree. Slingerland, Royal Oak.

FOR Sale—Gordon Setter dog, 8 months' old, cheap. 2608 Olympia Avenue. Phone 3738L2.

LIME—Agricultural, $3 per ton, in bulk, at kiln. Builders, $1.20 bbl. Maist & Co., 403 Central Bldg., phone 3235.

WANTED—Irish, smooth-haired fox terrier or Airedale, under 18 months. Box 1617, Colonist.

WANTED—Spaniel or Gordon Setter pup, state age and price. Apply Box 1593, Colonist.

WANTED—Good lady's saddle horse for keep; would pay moderate rental or purchase on terms; good home; responsible person. Full particulars, Box 1581, Colonist.

WANTED—Scotch terrier dog. Box 1497, Colonist.

WANTED to purchase, a good milking cow. Address 2417 Work Street, city, or phone 4911L.

$75 I will pay for a fresh good milking Jersey cow. Must be bargain. Call Randy Nursery, Cloverdale.

WANT TO EXCHANGE

CHOICE Alberta half-section, with improvements, to trade for suburban home with about acre land; also clear title British Columbia land for house in Oak Bay or Fairfield; will assume. Dunford's, 312 Union Bank.

FOR Exchange—Four-room bungalow, lot 50x120, clear title, for acreage or vacant lots. Another 4-room cottage, clear title, for acreage or lots. Will exchange both above for Prairie land, Island acreage or good home in Fairfield. Owners only. Apply P. O. Box 1533.

INDIAN, 2-speed motor cycle, for sale or trade for two-seated car; everything complete, tools, presto light, side car, etc., 1913 model; what have you or what offer? Box 1448, Colonist.

THREE clear title cottages for B C. or Alberta land. Box 1441, Colonist.

TO exchange, for acreage on east coast of Vancouver Island, $2,500 equity in large house and lot that cost $4,000, in Vernon, B. C.; must be partly improved. Owners. Reply Box 231, Vernon, B. C.

TWO Persian kittens for a miniature Pomeranian. Box 1371, Colonist.

TWO Saskatoon lots, University Heights, for shares in good company, value $300. Box 1564, Colonist.

WANTED—Good, sound young horse, suitable for light work on the land, and for driving, in exchange for Underwood No. 5 typewriter, in perfect order; cost $125. Box 1106, Colonist.

WILL exchange gentleman's diamond ring, perfect cut and color, cost $150 cash, for two-speed motor cycle. Box 1566, Colonist.

WE specialise in exchanging all classes of property; 600 trades to choose from. Campbell Bros., 1007 Government Street.

WILL exchange clear title B. C. acreage for equity in bungalow and furniture. P. O. Box 1533.

WILL exchange 35 acres clear title B. C. land for good piano. Box 1442, Colonist.

WILL exchange half section of B. C. land (clear title) for equity in bungalow and motor car. P. O. Box 886, Victoria.

166 ACRES, situated Kootenay fruit district, well watered, easily cleared, to exchange for Vancouver Island acreage, near sea and town; can assume mortgage or make small cash payment. Alfa, Box 448, Victoria.

$20,000 RESIDENCE, Oak Bay, 8 rooms, fully modern, on six large lots, 137½x240, frontage on two streets, beautiful oak trees and evergreens; coach house, garage, chicken run, tennis court and garden. Will assume, what offers? Box 1172, Colonist.

AUTOMOBILES

AUTOMOBILES for rent, high-class machines with experienced, careful mechanical drivers. Thomas Plimley, 735 Johnson Street; phone 697.

AUTOMOBILES for Sale—Cadillac, 5-passenger, splendid shape; owner must sell; will take Ford in trade. Five-passenger Hudson, Overland, $450; 1913 Ford, Cameron, 521 Superior.

A FIVE or 7-passenger automobile for hire. Phone 1787R.

BARGAIN—Chase motor truck, cost $1,500; as good as new, now $500. C. F. Swain, 505 Sayward Block.

FOR Sale—Persian kittens. Apply 1728 Bank Street, phone 5122L.

FOR Sale—1914 Henderson motor cycle; four cylinder; price $150. Box 1571, Colonist.

INDIAN, 2-speed motor cycle, for sale or trade for two-seated car; everything complete, tools, presto light, side car, etc., 1913 model; what have you or what offer. Box 1448, Colonist.

METROPOLITAN Garage, 720 View Street, for vulcanising, cars washed and polished. First class mechanics.

SPECIAL Bargains—1913 Ford, $375; Ohio, 1912, touring car, $450; Hudson, 1912, $650; English Laudaulette, perfect condition, suitable for private use or high-class rent work, $1,700. Phone 4638. Cameron, 1111 Moore Street.

WILL buy good Ford, no jitney. Box 1615, Colonist.

1912 FORD car for sale; recently overhauled; Presto tank and master vibrator, $300. Davis's Garage, 817 Vancouver Street.

$875 — FIVE-passenger Stoddart-Dayton car, cheap. 1913 Yates St.

AUTOMOBILES (Continued)

$185, BUICK roadster; $175, Mupp roadster; $200, 5-passenger Studebaker; $650, Winton Six; $450, Russell, 5-passenger, Knight motor; $750, Packard, 7-passenger; $500, 1,500-lb. truck. E. J. Cameron, 1012 Yates Street.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—Pointer dog; owner can have same by paying expenses. Apply Bargain House, Douglas Street. If not claimed within three days will be sold.

LOST—A pearl and amethyst brooch, between Foul Bay Road and Elford Street on Fort Street. Reward on returning to Colonist Office.

LOST—Brown King Charles Spaniel, female; phone 4211R. Anyone harboring same will be prosecuted.

LOST—Heavy studded dog collar, engraved "Joe," 48th Batt. No. 4 Co. Reward, Mrs. F. B. Pemberton, Foul Bay Road.

LOST—July 30 or 31, probably between Yates Street and Washington Avenue, a gold bracelet; signs of the Zodiac carved on it. Anyone returning same to Box 1390 Colonist, will get $10 reward.

LOST—On Wednesday, between Carnegie Library and Government Street, gold wrist watch, with expansion attachment. Please phone 1503R, 54 Government Street. Reward.

LOST—Pure white Spitz puppy, near Hillside. Finder please telephone 4314R. Box 1651, Colonist.

LOST—Saturday, yellow topaz pin; keepsake. Reward. Return 1011 Government.

LOST—Silver wrist watch, initials W. G. M. Return to Colonist.

STRAYED—From the premises of S. McC. Smith, 403 Dundas Street, Victoria West, an English setter dog, answers to name of Merlin. Reward on return to above address.

$5.00 REWARD—Lost between Durrance and Brentwood, one black heifer. Apply Hawthorne, Shoal Bay Poultry Yards, Victoria.

BUSINESS CHANCES

WELL established grocery in city, cash business; new stock, good proposition to right party; sell at invoice. Box 1377, Colonist.

TEACHERS WANTED

WANTED—Teacher, Coldstream Public School, near Vernon; state age, last position held, class of certificate, name and address last inspector; salary $75; good cottage can be rented. Reply Box 1328, Colonist.

PERSONAL

ANYONE knowing the address of Miss Nelly Lynn kindly write to Wm. Jack, General Delivery, city.

ANY person who can give information regarding the present address of George Pringle, sometime residing at Darnchester West Mains Coldstream, Scotland; and who afterwards proceeded to Victoria, Vancouver Island, and was last heard of there, will oblige by communicating with Thomas Purdom & Sons, Solicitors, Hawick, Scotland.

FINE healthy baby girl for adoption; wet nurse, disengaged. Box 1520, Colonist.

WANTED TO BORROW

WANTED—Between $2,000 and $3,000 on first mortgage at reasonable interest, for two years. Address Box 1380, Colonist.

CROFT & ASHBY

Phone 2999—634 View St.—P. O. Box 90.

TIMBER Lands—Over 50,000,000,000 feet in British Columbia, Oregon and Washington.

MINES, farms, pulp propositions.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

In the matter of an application for a fresh Certificate of Indefeasible Title to part (120 feet by 20 feet) of Lots 416 and 417, Victoria City.

Notice is hereby given of my intention, at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof, to issue a fresh Certificate of Indefeasible Title in lieu of the certificate of indefeasible Title issued to The Colonist Printing and Publishing Company, Limited Liability, on the 8th day of November, 1906, and numbered 351, which has been lost.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C., this 24th day of July, 1915.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar-General of Titles.

SUPERINTENDENT OF MUNICIPAL FREE LABOR BUREAU

Applications will be received until 12 o'clock noon, on Friday next, the 20th instant, for the position of Superintendent of the said Bureau.

Salary to be at the rate of $65 per month.

Any applicant canvassing any member of the Council for the position will be disqualified.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., August 17, 1915.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sittings of the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria, for a transfer from me to Alexander J. McCool of the licence to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail at the Blanshard Hotel, situate at the southwest corner of Blanshard and Johnson Streets, Victoria, B. C., and to change the name from the Blanshard Hotel to the Hotel Cecil.

Dated this 13th day of July, 1915.

F. W. KOSTENBADER,
By his attorney-in-fact, W. G. Barlow.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session, by the undersigned, for an Act to be entitled "The Victoria City and British Columbia Telephone Company Limited, Validation Act," validating and confirming an agreement made the 5th day of August, 1910, between the Corporation of the City of Victoria and the British Columbia Telephone Company Limited, which agreement is to be found in By-Law 916, Victoria City, being Underground Telephone By-Law, 1910, which last mentioned By-Law received the assent of the electors on the 12th January, 1911, and also validating and confirming a certain agreement made the 30th March, 1915, between the same parties, varying the first mentioned agreement of the 5th August, 1910, and also validating the said Underground Telephone By-Law, 1910, and the Underground Telephone Entry By-Law, 1915. True copies of the said Agreements and By-Laws may be inspected at the office of the Clerk of the Municipal Council, City Hall, Victoria, B. C.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 19th day of July, 1915.

The Corporation of the City of Victoria,
By its Solicitor, T. R. Robertson.
The British Columbia Telephone Company, Limited, By its Solicitors, Barnard, Robertson, Heisterman & Tait,
Applicants.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that application will be made at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners at Victoria, B. C., to be held on the 8th day of September, 1915, for a transfer of the licence now held by me for the Tourist hotel, No. 672 Johnson Street, Victoria, B. C., to Thomas Garvin.

Dated this 6th day of August, 1915.

AVERY S. CONKLIN

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET

WINNIPEG, Aug. 19.—Liverpool cables were not so strong as the trade anticipated, and with weather in the southwest showing improvement and favorable in the American Northwest and Canada, and little or no export inquiry, the bearish element predominated and values were hammered down. The dollar figure for December was touched about 12:30 p.m., and at the same time October hovered in the vicinity of the dollar mark. Prices rallied from low points at the close. Oats was easier in sympathy with the break in wheat prices. Flax opened 1⅛c lower and showed fairly steady later at about the opening figures.

The cash department was extremely quiet in all grades. For Nos. 1 and 2 Northern wheat there was a demand by Ontario millers and only an odd car on offer. There was no inquiry for new crop wheat.

Winnipeg wheat futures closed 1⅜c to 1⅝c lower. Cash wheat closed 1¼c down. Oats closed ⅝c lower. Flax closed ⅜c lower.

The weather map, when fully posted, showed rains at nine points in the three wheat Provinces, the heaviest being 1.02 at Lethbridge and 1.00 at Regina. The temperatures were lower during the day and higher at night than recently. The lowest was 45 degrees at Moosomin and the highest 88 degrees at Moose Jaw. The forecast was a few local thunder storms, but generally fine and warm today and on Friday. The total number of inspections on Wednesday was 26 cars, as against 64 a year ago, and in sight today were 40 cars.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Wheat—				
Oct.	101¾	102	100⅝	100⅝
Dec.	101	101	100	100⅝
May	106¾	106⅞	106	106¼
Oats—				
Oct.	38½	38½	38½	38⅛
Barley—				
Sept.	51	..	..	52½
Oct.	52	..	..	50½
Flax—				
Oct.	142¼	..	..	143⅛

Cash prices: Wheat (new crop)—No. 1 Nor., 106½; No. 2 Nor., 104½.

Barley—No. 4, 52½.

Flax—No. 1 N. W. C., 141¼; No. 2 C. W., 138¼.

LOCAL MARKETS

Vegetables		
Beans, green, lb.		.05
Beans, wax, lb.		.05
Beets, 3 bunches		.10
Cabbage, lb.		.03½
Carrots, 3 bunches		.10
Celery, Okan., bunch		.05
Cream Corn, dozen		.35
Cucumbers, H. H., each	.05 and	.10
Grapes, Malaga, lb.		.25
Lettuce, local, head		.05
Marrows, lb.		.04
Onions, Green, 3 bndls.		.10
Onions, Cal., dry, 8 lb.		.25
Parsley, bunch		.05
Peppers, lb.	.25 and	.30
Plums, basket		.50
Potatoes, River, sack		.90
Potatoes, local, sack		1.00
Potatoes, new, 16 lbs.		.25
Rhubarb, 7 lbs.		.25
Turnips, 3 bndls.		.10
Tomatoes, local HH., 2 lb.		.25
Watercress, bunch		.05
Watermelons, each	.30 to	.50
Fruits		
Apples, local, 3 lbs.		.25
Apples, box	1.00 to	1.25
Apricots, crate	1.00 and	1.15
Bananas, doz.		.30
Blackberries, 2 baskets		.25
Canteloupes, Cal., each	.10 and	.15
Grapefruit, Cal., basket		.15
Grapefruit, Cal., lower grade, 3 for		.25
Lemons, Cal., dozen	.25 and	.30
Oranges Valencia, dozen	.30, .40 and	.50
Peaches, local, basket		.25
Pears, Bartlett, l'ge bskt.		.25
Plums, Cal., bskt.	.25, .40 and	.50
Sugar		
B.C. Granulated, 20 lbs.		1.60
B.C. Granulated, 100 lbs		7.75
Dairy Produce and Eggs		
Butter—		
Comox, lb.		.40
Cowichan Creamery, lb.		.40
Eastern Creamery, lb.		.35
Northwest Creamery, lb.		.35
Cheese—		
Canadian, lb.		.25
Canadian Stilton, lb.		.30
English Stilton, lb.		.35
Eggs, local dozen		.45
Eggs, eastern, dozen		.40
Feed		
Barley, 100 lbs.		2.30
Barley, ground, 100 lbs.		2.30
Bran, 100 lbs.		1.75
Corn, 100 lbs.		2.10
Corn, cracked, 100 lbs.		2.20
Oats, 100 lbs.		2.30
Oats, crushed, 100 lbs.		2.20
Shorts, 100 lbs.		1.80
Wheat, No. 1, 100 lbs.		3.50
Wheat, No. 2, 100 lbs.		3.40
Hay, Alfalfa, ton	24.00 to	26.00
Hay, Timothy, ton	19.00 to	21.00
Straw, bale		.50
Flour		
B. & K. Bread Flour, 49-lb. sack		1.90
Purity, 49-lb. sack		1.90
Five Roses, 49-lb. sack		2.00
Robin Hood, 49-lb sack		2.00
Royal Household, 49-lb sack		1.90
Royal Standard, 49-lb. sk.		1.90
Gold Seal, 49-lb. sack		1.90
Snowflake, 49-lb sack		2.00
Wild Rose, 49-lb. sack		1.90
Meats		
Beef, loin roasts, lb.	.22 and	.30
Beef, ribs, lb.	.18 to	.22
Beef, boiling, lb.	.10 to	.12½
Mutton, forequarters, lb.		.15
Mutton, hindquarters, lb.		.25
Mutton, leg, lb.		.25
Mutton, loin, lb.		.25
Chicken, lb.	.25 to	.35
Fowl, lb.		.30
Broilers, lb.	.18 to	.35
Fryers, each		.45
Ducks, young, lb.	.25 to	.30
Geese, lb.		.30
Bacon, Canadian Sugar Cured, lb.	.25 to	.40
Hams, Canadian Sugar Cured, lb.	.22 to	.30
Pork, shoulders, lb.	.15 to	.18
Pork, loins, lb.		.22
Pork, Legs, lb.	.18 to	.20
Pork sausage, pure		.20
Turkeys, cold storage, lb.		.30
Fish		
Bloaters, lb.		.10
Cod, lb.		.12
Finnan Haddie, lb.		.15
Halibut, lb.		.12½
Halibut, smoked, lb.		.15

Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations

COAL mining rights of the Dominion, in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the Northwest Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal sub-divisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5, which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—58782

NOTICE

Take notice, that at the next sitting of the Licence Commissioners I intend to apply for transfer of the Panama Hotel licence, situated at 542 Johnson Street, from D. F. Barnhart to Sidney Alfred Mitchell.

D. F. BARNHART.

VETERAN'S FORM IS DAY'S FEATURE

H. R. Orr Plays Forty-Eight Games in Singles Before Losing to Clute, Afterwards Winning Hard-Fought Double

Good progress was made yesterday in the preliminary rounds of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club's tournament at the Willows, and several excellently contested matches were seen. The feature of the afternoon's play was the wonderful endurance shown by the veteran H. R. Orr, better known to Victoria as a cricketer than a tennis player.

Although it is some years since he has played the game, Mr. Orr played a match of 48 games against Clute before the latter was able to lower his colors, after which he played a hard game in the mixed doubles, in which, with Miss Neame, he defeated R. C. Trimen and Miss Garesche after the match had gone three sets.

Another long drawn out encounter was that between Johnston and Terry, which was won by the former at the end of three sets, in all of which every game was fought out to the bitter end.

Yesterday's Results

In the men's singles, A. D. Davis beat Neame, 6-1, 6-3. Lindsay beat Phelan, 6-3, 6-8, 6-2. Hoyle beat Armstrong, 6-2, 6-1. Hodgkinson beat Leeming, 6-3, 6-3. Clute beat Orr, 8-6, 18-16. Grove beat Bigwood, 6-0, 6-0. Johnston beat Terry, 6-1, 4-6, 75.

In the men's doubles, B. P. Schwengers ond Brown beat White and Hall, 6-2, 6-3. Phelan and Twigg beat Foreman and Todd, 6-2, 6-2.

In the ladies' doubles, Mrs. Clute and Mrs. Rickaby beat Miss Dod and Miss Wootton, 6-1, 6-2. Miss Idiens and Miss Kilpatrick beat Mrs. Birch and Miss Martin, 6-1, 6-3.

In the mixed doubles, Miss McDermott and Forbes beat Miss Burrill and Jones, 6-0, 6-0. Miss L. Wootton and Hoyle beat Miss Dodd and Fort, 6-4, 6-2. Miss R. Neame and Orr beat Miss Garesche and R. C. Trimen, 4-6, 7-5, 6-4.

Today's Draw

At 2:30—Court 1, Miss Ross and Miss Bradford play Mrs. Nunn and Mrs. Littleboy. Court 2, G. Simpson plays A. P. Archibald. Court 3, Walton plays MacKenzie. Court 4, Twigg plays Ridley. Court 5, Miss M. Rickaby plays Miss Cuppage.

At 3:30—Court 1, Miss R. Jones and Miss G. Jones play Miss J. Wootton and Miss Garesche. Court 2, Miss Tuck and Miss McLeod play Miss G. Pitts and Miss D. Jones. Court 3, Miss R. Neame and Miss Mesher play Mrs. J. Kennedy and Miss Bailey. Court 4, Miss M. Leeming and Mrs. Elgee play Mrs. Sweeney and Miss Foggo.

At 4:30—Court 1, Foulkes and Mrs. Cove play Thwaites and Miss Cuppage. Court 2, G. Wilson and Miss Bullivant play Inglis and Miss Anthony. Court 3, Brown and Miss Idiens play Captain and Mrs. Hensman. Court 4, Lindsay and Miss Rickaby play Phelan and Miss Hickman.

At 5:30—Court 1, Mrs. Burton and Mrs. Hotham play Miss Neame and Miss Lawson. Court 2, Gordon and Mrs. Leeming play D. Jones and Miss M. Jones. Court 3, Miss Camsusa and Miss Peatt play Mrs. Hanson and Mrs. G. Rowe. Court 4, T. B. Pemberton plays Heyland.

The management of the tournament notifies players that they must be on time for their games or must be scratched, as under no circumstances will the tournament be carried on after August 28. There are games still to be played which have been postponed owing to the non-arrival of players, which are holding back the whole draw. It is also stated that those who are not already provided with partners for the doubles must obtain them before Saturday, as the committee is unable to provide partners.

SEPTEMBER STAKES REPLACE ST. LEGER

There Will Be No "New St. Leger" at Newmarket—His Majesty's Nominations for Derby

Towards the prize money at the fifth "extra" meeting at Newmarket, fixed for September 15 and three following days, the Jockey Club stewards announce that the Bibury Club and an anonymous donor have each contributed £1,000, says The London Daily Mail.

There is to be no race entitled the New St. Leger, a la the New Derby and the New Oaks, but a colorable imitation of the great Doncaster event is presented in the September Stakes, a sweepstakes of .0 sovs. each, 20 forfeit, the distance being the last mile and three-quarters of the Cesarewitch course. Ten entries are stipulated for, and no doubt they will be forthcoming, in spite of Pommern. This colt—winner of the Two Thousand Guineas and the New Derby—has been kept in active work.

Among the other events advertised for this meeting are the Bibury Club Stakes of 1,000 sovs., for two and three-year-olds, weight for age, distance six furlongs; the St. Ives Handicap of 800 sovs., five furlongs; and the Barton Mills Nursery of 800 sovs., seven furlongs.

Economy arising from the prospect of a prolonged war is responsible for a big "slump" in the Derby entry for 1917 as compared with the total for the 1916 race. There is a drop from 462 to 285, while the Oaks entry numbers 241, as against 324. Foreign entries include 19 French and 20 American, but particulars of these have yet to be received. His Majesty nominates four colts for the Derby and two fillies for the Oaks. One of the latter, a half-sister by Sunstar to Friar Marcus, is called Neuve Chapelle—the locale of so much sanguinary fighting.

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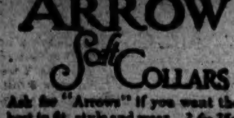

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COAST PAIR FURNISH NEWPORT FEATURE

Griffin and Johnston, Who Won Recently at Chicago, Still Playing in Good Form—Williams Was Erratic

NEWPORT, R.I., Aug. 19.—The appearance of the Pacific Coast champions, Clarence J. Griffin and William Johnston, and of R. Norris Williams II. and Watson M. Washburn, the Eastern champions, again furnished the feature in tennis yesterday. The playing of the young Californians, who stand as challengers to McLoughlin and Bundy for national honors, was far above the ordinary. They outsmashed and outvolleyed Robert LeRoy and Charles M. Bull, jr., the New York pair, and won, 6-3, 7-5.

Williams was again somewhat erratic on his shorter playing at the net, so that Washburn had to offset many of the errors of his famous partner, but it was nevertheless fast tennis that the two played against D. S. Watters, the New Orleans boy, and Harold A. Mackinney, of Providence.

Summaries:

Singles, third round—H. C. Johnson, Boston, beat Howland Hans, Philadelphia, 6-2, 6-0, 6-1.

N. W. Niles, Boston, beat G. H. Wightman, Boston, 6-4, 6-3, 6-2.

R. Norris Williams II., Philadelphia, beat Craig Biddle, Philadelphia, 6-3, 4-6, 6-3, 6-3.

Casino cup doubles, second round—R. Norris Williams II. and Watson M. Washburn, Philadelphia and New York, defeated H. A. Mackinney and D. S. Waters, Providence and New Orleans, 6-3, 6-2.

Clarence J. Griffin and William M. Johnston, San Francisco, defeated Robert Le Roy and Charles M. Bull, jr., New York, 6-3, 7-5.

Irving C. Wright and Wallace T. Johnson, Boston and Philadelphia, defeated R. Capers and Count Otto Salm, Newport, 6-2, 3-6, 6-2.

Raymond D. Little and Frederick B. Alexander, New York, defeated James S. Cushman and Walter L. Pate, New York, 6-2, 6-2.

Y. M. C. A. ACTIVITIES

Closing Camps After Most Successful Season—Y.M.C.A. Entries for Swimming Gala on Saturday

The Y. M. C. A. juniors will close their camping season on Saturday next, after successfully operating four camps through the season. Ninety-eight boys have been in camp, which is over three times the number they have ever had before. Boys who have been at the Gorge camp are requested to report at the camp at 2:30 on Saturday for packing up, those who are unable to report at that time are requested to report at 7 p.m. at the association building to assist in storing the equipment in the building.

The boys from Orcas Island will arrive in town on the Saturday afternoon boat from Seattle, and on Saturday evening will see everything stowed away after the most successful camping season in the history of the local association. The camp of the senior department will close on September 11.

Until September 1 the only outdoor activity of the boys' department will be swimming. In the Victoria Ladies' Swimming Club's gala the Y. M. C. A. will have the following entries: In the race for boys under twelve, Rae Witham, Lawrence Bidlake and George Silburn; in the race for boys of fourteen and under, Howard Watson and Geoffrey Bidlake. Teams will also be entered in the team diving contest and the relay race.

FIVE C'S AGAIN WIN FROM THE CLERGY

Return Cricket Match Played Yesterday Was Well Contested—Several High Scores Made

The return cricket match played between the Five C's and the Anglican clergy at the Jubilee Hospital ground yesterday resulted in a win for the Five C's by three wickets. On either side the bulk of the scoring was done by one or two players only. For the clergy, Rev. W. T. Keeling played a good innings for 48, and Rev. J. W. Flinton, who accompanied him to start the batting for the side, made 18, the next highest score being 8 by Rev. H. A. Collison.

On the side of the Five C's, Tucker, who went in first, carried his bat for 48, and Payne succeeded in just reaching 59, the next high scorer being Lock with 10. The clergy's innings realized a total of 92, which was passed by the Five C's with seven wickets down, stumps being drawn with their score standing at 97 for seven.

Rev. H. A. Collison was the most successful bowler for the clergy and the fielding of the whole side was very good.

PRO. LACROSSE IS NOW ABANDONED

Vancouver Unable to Continue Owing to Lack of Interest—East and West Series Unlikely

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 19.—Professional lacrosse has been abandoned on the Coast for this season. Alderman E. Kellington, manager of the Kellington champions, announced yesterday that Vancouver club officers had decided on the cancellation of further fixtures, owing to lack of interest, and that it was not likely that any Minto Cup series would be played between the East and West.

"Vancouver is unable to finish, the attendance has not bee encouraging, and as Minto Cup defenders we do not think it wise to continue professional lacrosse until a return to normal conditions," stated the New Westminster club president.

LADIES SWIMMING GALA

Tomorrow's Entertainment at the Gorge Will Be Well Attended

The nature of the arrangements made by the Victoria Ladies' Swimming Club for its first outdoor gala, to be held at the Gorge, commencing at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow, indicates the entertainment will be one of the greatest aquatic successes in the sporting history of the city. The anticipations of a large attendance are shown by the provision of seating accommodation for 500 people. Special attention is being paid to the races which have been arranged for school children, and in addition to the events in the programme as published in Wednesday's Colonist, a novices' race of twenty-five yards has been included for those ladies who have learned swimming since joining the club.

Rev. Dr. C. P. Scott has agreed to present the prizes at the end of the day's entertainment. A number of the prizes are now on exhibition at the Beehive, 1306 Douglas Street. Entries will be received up to this evening by Mrs. Leo, telephone L3661.

TED GEARY'S BOAT BEATEN BY ELEMENTS

Fog, Combined With Forty-Mile Wind, Spoils Lead Obtained in Early Part of Race

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 19.—The elements conspired to beat Sir Tom, Seattle's fast sailboat, out of the race yesterday.

Ted Geary got a start by about fifteen seconds in a twenty-mile breeze, Sir Tom still carrying single reef. The Alert was carrying full sail on the first beat to windward. Sir Tom quickly jumped ahead to a three-minute lead and on a five-mile run with spinnakers, Sir Tom increased the lead to four minutes. In the two-mile beam reach, with fog and wind increasing, Sir Tom stretched her lead fifteen seconds.

On rounding Northampton shoal, buoy No. 2, a forty-mile wind, with thick fog, set in and the boats lost track of each other and the marks. At Alcatraz Island the Alert was found to be ahead.

Sir Tom's crew reported they were hardly able to stagger against the wind and tide, Sir Tom receiving a terrific battering, necessitating some repairs.

The liner Northern Pacific was carried far from her course, narrowly missing Alcatraz Island and Sir Tom.

The Seattle boat was unable to regain her lead and the Alert won by over seven minutes.

Active's protest on Monday's race was decided in favor of Sir Tom.

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL

SPOKANE, Wash., Aug. 19.—By bunching hits off Callahan in the third inning today Vancouver piled up enough runs to win from the locals by a score of five to four.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
Spokane	4	11	3
Vancouver	5	8	0

Batteries—Callahan and Brennegan; Smith and Brottem.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 19.—Mails was wild today and was hit hard, Tacoma winning by a score 8 to 1.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
Seattle	1	5	5
Tacoma	8	8	4

Batteries—Mails, McIvor and Cadman; Meikle and Stevens.

Standing of the Clubs

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Spokane	72	50	.690
Seattle	66	59	.528
Tacoma	64	60	.516
Vancouver	61	59	.509

LEAGUE BASEBALL RESULTS

National

At Philadelphia—Pittsburg, 8; Philadelphia, 3.

At New York—Cincinnati, 6; New York, 1.

At Brooklyn—Chicago, 5; Brooklyn, 6.

At Boston—St. Louis, 4; Boston, 1.

American

At Cleveland—Washington, 11; Cleveland, 6.

At Detroit—Philadelphia, 1; Detroit, 6.

At Chicago—Boston, 1; Chicago, 2.

At St. Louis—New York-St. Louis two games postponed, rain.

Federal

At Baltimore—Kansas City, 6; Baltimore, 1.

At Brooklyn—St. Louis, 4; Brooklyn, 3.

At Newark—Pittsburg, 0; Newark, 5.

At Buffalo—Chicago, 0; Buffalo, 5.

Coast

At Portland—Salt Lake, 1; Portland, 2.

At Los Angeles—Oakland, 0; Vernon, 3.

At San Francisco—Los Angeles, 5; San Francisco, 10.

LAWN BOWLING

The home players to take part in the bowling contest for Victoria against Vancouveer tomorrow are requested to be on the green not later than 2 o'clock.

The encounter in the inter-city contest is being looked forward to with keen interest, as the visiting teams are reported to be a very strong combination, and the local players will require to do their utmost to retain the trophy now in their possession.

Goats and Panthers

To the Sporting Editor:

Sir,—Two goats were killed on the ranch of Nuttall Bros., Cowichan Station, at 12 p.m. on August 11. On the 17th a panther was killed a few yards from the bodies. There were present at the shoot three men, J. Mearns, J. Frumento, J. Nuttall, and two boys, Masters Le Lievre and Mearns, and 4 dogs.

Though the actual hunt did not take many hours, I estimate there was 15 days' work in getting the animal, and $1 a day is insufficient for skilled labor in the direction of sheep and goat raising.

J. NUTTALL.

Cowichan Station, Aug. 19, 1915.

ENVOY TO VATICAN

Pope Receives Minister From Holland—His Holiness May Participate in Peace Conference

ROME, Aug. 19.—Pope Benedict, in receiving Minister Reugout, who presented his credentials as Dutch envoy accredited to the Vatican, expressed the hope that the decision of the Dutch Government again to be represented at the Vatican after the lapse of fifteen years, might constitute an important factor in the near future in events leading to the pacification of Europe.

These words are interpreted here as confirming the view that the Dutch legation to the Papacy was instituted principally to allow Holland to follow and support the Papal initiative in favor of peace, and to enable the Dutch Government to invite the Pontiff to the peace conference at the close of the war in case it should be held at The Hague.

GERMAN ALLEGATIONS

Statement Claims That Small British Cruiser and Destroyer Were Sunk Off Jutland

BERLIN, Aug. 19.—It was claimed in a statement given out today by the Admiralty that German torpedo boat destroyers had sunk a small British cruiser and a British destroyer by torpedoing them in an engagement of small craft off the west coast of Jutland.

The Admiralty alleged that in the naval air raid on London Tuesday night important establishments in the city and on the Thames were bombarded with effect. Blast furnaces at Woodbridge and Ipswich also were bombarded, the statement says.

SAW BRITISH MINISTER

King Constantine Received Sir Francis Elliot and Conferred With Russian Ambassador

LONDON, Aug. 19.—King Constantine of Greece, yesterday received Sir Francis Elliot, British Minister to Greece, and also expressed a desire to see the Russian minister, Prince Elim Demidoff.

M. Venizelos visited the ministers of the Entente powers and had a long conversation with each of them.

The Hestia says that M. Venizelos has asked permission to delay the formation of a new cabinet in order to investigate whether the policy of Gounaris, the former prime minister, has rendered the international situation such that his own policy hence-forward will be impossible of application.

FORCE ENEMY TO EVACUATE FORT

Italian Artillery Damages Austrian Fort and Defenders Are Pursued—Aeroplanes Show Increased Activity.

ROME, Aug. 19.—The following official statement was issued tonight:

"In the Tonale sector our artillery seriously damaged an enemy fort called Possialti. The defenders were obliged to evacuate the works, pursued by our forces.

In the upper Cordevole Valley enemy batteries, after trying in vain to shell our troops out of their positions, directed their fire against the town and church of Piave di Livinallongo, causing an outbreak of fire.

"In the Upper Fires we made considerable headway. We captured a redoubt on Monte Paterno and a line of trenches near Driezinen, making twenty-four prisoners.

"In the Tolmino section on the night of the 18th the enemy made violent counter-attacks on positions gained by our troops, but were completely repulsed.

"On the Carso plateau our line has been pushed forward slightly. We made fifty-three prisoners and captured one machine gun.

"The enemy is making increased use of aeroplanes, both for scouting and for attack. Our aviators, whose continued bold exploits have contributed so greatly to the successful progress of our operations, together with anti-aircraft guns, constitute an effective means of defence against these enterprises of the enemy."

Heavy bombardment of the Austrian forts before Gorizia, and infantry assaults south and west of Tolmino, mark the beginning of a determined attempt by General Cadorna to break the whole Austrian front along the Isonzo.

VIENNA, Aug. 19. — The following statement was issued from army headquarters tonight:

"Italian heavy artillery fire was continued yesterday and last night against our Tyrolean fortifications.

"An attack by two hostile battalions against our advanced field positions on the Folgaria plateau was repulsed.

"Heavy fighting continues in the northern sector of the coastal front. A strong attack against Hrzli failed, like all previous attempts against the southern portions of the Tolmino bridgehead. The Italians attacked unsuccessfully six times during the afternoon and evening, and there also was bitter fighting during the night, but the bridgehead is as firmly in our hands as formerly.

"In the Gorizia district, the usual artillery fire continues."

SHARES AS COLLATERAL

Plaintiff in Vancouver Suit Unable to Recover Certificate Given as Security for Loan

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 19.—A legal decision of interest to bankers and to their customers who are in the habit of handing over stock certificates with a blank transfer as collateral security for advances of money has been handed down by Mr. Justice Macdonald in the case of Macdonald vs. Bank of Vancouver. It arises out of the fact that certain shares belonging to Mr. A. S. Macdonald a former employee of the Brown-Jamison Company, were handed over to the Bank of Vancouver as security for an advance to the Brown-Jamison Company. The learned judge, after an extensive review of the law on the subject, although he finds that the shares were handed over to the bank by the Brown-Jamison Company in fraud on the plaintiff, yet holds that the plaintiff cannot successfully claim the return of the share certificates. His lordship holds that the bank received the certificates in good faith, and that the failure of the plaintiff to notify the bank or claim a return of the shares after he learned they were held by the bank precluded him from success in his suit.

REINFORCEMENTS LANDED

British Forestall Intended Offensive of Turkish Forces on Gallipoli Peninsula

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Additional troops have been landed by the British at Suvla Bay, Gallipoli Peninsula. This announcement was made officially here this afternoon.

The War Office admits that after heavy fighting, in which no satisfactory progress was made, the British advance was halted. The losses on both sides were very large.

According to information from prisoners, the Turks have been reinforced with a view to taking the offensive but were forestalled by the added strength of the British forces gained by the reinforcements landed at Suvla Bay.

The fleet has been co-operating with the British land forces, especially when consolidation of position was aimed at.

Unable to Play

Mr. Crawford Coates has received a letter from Mr. Illingworth, of Vancouver, in which he states that, owing to the fact that the only convenient date for the deciding cricket match suggested to be held between Victoria and Vancouver would conflict with another Red Cross entertainment in Vancouver, he thinks it would be better to drop the idea. He states that the Vancouver players all greatly enjoyed the recent match at Victoria and still talk it over when they meet.

DISASTER AFFECTS STOCK MARKET

Issues, Which Have Recently Been Much Exploited, Show Heavy Losses — Exchange Exerts No Influence.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—New York, today, received an unexpected reminder that a state of war existed across the waters. Stocks which had been under pressure in the early trading broke abruptly in the afternoon on news of the sinking of the Arabic. United States Steel led up to midday, and fell over 3 points on the news, and other stocks of almost equal importance showed losses of 1 to 3 points, while a few of the recently exploited specialties added 2 to 5 points to their losses of the morning. From this level most stocks made partial recovery, only to fall to lower levels in the final hour, when the selling movement gathered greater force. The closing was heavy and weak, with only slight recovery from minimum quotations. Even before word of Germany's latest marine exploit became generally known, there was an absence of the recent strength and open manipulation in the so-called war stocks. In fact, Bethlehem Steel was conspicuously weak, also Westinghouse, Pressed Steel Car, General Electric and the principal motor issues, losses in this group ranging from 3 to 10 points. New York Airbrake was the only notable exception, at one time showing gains of 11 points, part of which was lost later. The main railways showed underlying strength, keeping within a point or thereabouts, with the exception of Reading and Canadian Pacific, which recorded wider fluctuations. Total trade was 1,145,000 shares, exceeding any session of recent months.

For the first time this week, foreign exchange played little or no part as a market factor. Demand sterling was a shade harder than yesterday, and francs made further material recovery from their recent weakness. Bankers continued their "credit" conferences, but the plan to establish new English and French loans remained in abeyance. The Bank of England increased its gold holdings during the week by almost $7,000,000, while the Bank of France gained almost twice that amount of gold.

The local bond market continued to recede moderately on the more "future" foreign selling. Total sales, par value, $2,735,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

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Stocks—	High	Low	Bid
Alaska Gold	33⅝	33	33
Allis-Chalmers	41½	38¼	38½
Allis-Chalmers pfd.	71⅞	69¼	69⅝
Amy. Coal Pdks.	154½	145	150
Amn. Agr. Chemical	....	....	56
Amn. Can.	64	60½	60½
Amn. Car & Fdy.	70⅝	68	69
Amn. Cotton Oil	53½	50	49½
Amn. Ice Securities	24¼	23½	23¼
Amn. Locomotive	56⅝	53½	54
Amn. Smelting	82⅝	80	80⅝
Amn. Sugar	....	....	110
Amn. Tel. & Tel.	123⅝	123¼	123¼
Anaconda	72¼	69⅞	70⅝
Atchison	102⅝	101⅝	101⅝
Balto. & Ohio	83	82	82
Bethlehem Steel	288	275	274
Brooklyn Rap. Tran.	84⅝	84¼	84
C. P. R.	152½	151¼	151⅞
Cal. Petroleum	17⅞	16⅞	16⅝
Central Leather	46	55	44½
Ches. & Ohio	45⅝	44⅝	44⅝
C. & G. W.	12	11⅞	12
C. & G. W. pfd.	30½	30¼	30
C. M. & St. Paul	82⅞	82¼	82
Colo. Fuel & Iron	43⅝	41¼	41¼
Crucible Steel	77⅞	73	73
Con. Gas	128	125⅝	125⅝
Distillers Sec.	29¼	28	28
Erie	28⅛	27⅝	27⅝
Erie 1st pfd.	44	43⅛	43¼
Erie 2nd pfd.	....	....	33⅞
Genl. Motors	216	211⅞	213
Goodrich	63	59⅞	60
Great Northern pfd.	118⅛	118	118
Gt. Nor. Ore. ctfs.	45	42	42½
Guggenheim	66⅝	64¼	64½
Illinois Cent.	....	....	101
Inter-Metropolitan	21¼	20	20¼
Kas. City Southern	....	....	106
Louis & Nash	....	....	114
Lehigh Valley	....	....	141
N. Y. Airbrake	137⅝	126	134
Maxwell Motor	47	43⅝	43½
M. S. P. & S.S.M.	....	....	118
Mo. Pacific	3¼	3	3
Nat. Lead	64⅝	62⅞	63¼
Nevada Cons	14⅞	14⅝	14½
New Haven	62⅝	62	62
N. Y. Central	90⅝	90	89⅝
N. Y. O. & W.	....	....	25½
Norfolk & West	107⅝	107¼	107
North American Co.	....	....	72
Northern Pacific	108	107	107
Pacific Mail	....	....	33
Pennsylvania	109¼	108⅝	108⅞
People's Gas	....	....	115
Pittsburg Coal	32	30	29⅝
Pittsburg Coal pfd.	99	97¼	96
Pressed Steel Car	65⅝	62¼	62¼
Railway Steel Spg.	43¼	40⅞	40¼
Reading	149¼	147¼	147½
Rep. Iron & Steel pfd.	102¼	101	101¼
Rep. Iron & Steel pfd.	102⅛	101	101¼
Sloss Sheffield	56⅞	53¼	53
Southern Pacific	88½	88⅜	88⅝
Sou. Railway	15¼	15	15
Sou. Railway pfd.	47¼	46⅝	47¼
Standard Milling	....	....	56
Studebaker Corpn.	111½	107	108
Tenn. Copper	49⅝	47¼	47⅝
Texas Pacific	....	....	[illegible]
Twin City	....	....	98
Union Pacific	131⅝	130¼	130½
Union Pacific pfd.	....	....	81½
U. S. Rubber	57⅝	51½	51⅛
U. S. Rubber	52⅝	51¼	51⅝
U. S. Rubber 1st pfd.	....	....	[illegible]
U. S. Steel	77⅞	74⅞	74⅝
U. S. Steel pfd.	112⅞	112½	112⅝

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS

(Supplied by McDougall & Cowans)

MONTREAL, Aug. 19.—The market was less active today at prices slightly in advance of yesterday's quotations. Canada Car opening at 107, and sagged off to 103. Steel of Canada, Dom. Iron and Cedars common were quite active, the demand being equal to the supply at today's prices. The market assumed a waiting attitude, and should advance readily after the reaction of the past few days. The close was steady.

Stocks—	Bid.	Asked.
B. C. Packers	...	115
Brazil	...	54
Dom. Bridge	139	...
Canada Cement	...	28
Canada Cement Pfd.	...	90½
Canadian Pacific	151	...
Can. Cotton Pfd.	...	28
Can. Cotton Pfd.	...	74
Crown Reserve	...	50
Canadian Converters	...	35
Can. Car Fdy.	103	...
Cedar Rapids	65½	...
Detroit United	62	...
Dominion Canners	...	31
Dom. Iron & Steel Corp.	41	...
Dom. Iron & Steel Pfd.	...	95
Ill. Traction	...	61
Lake of the Woods Com.	...	136
Laurentide	...	163
A. McDonald Co.	...	11
Mackay Com.	...	76
Montreal Power	...	218
Mexican Light Com.	...	41
Nova Scotia Steel	63	...
Ogilvie Flour Com.	...	125
Ottawa Power	...	120
Penman, Ltd.	...	52
Quebec Ry.	...	10½
Can. S. S. & L.	...	18
Shawinigan	...	117
Sherwin Williams Com.	...	55
Sherwin Williams Pfd.	...	99
Soo	...	21
Steel Co. Canada Com.	26	...
Textile	...	74½
Toronto Ry.	...	111
Tuckett's Tobacco	...	29
Winnipeg Electric	...	180
Twin City	...	95
Winnipeg Electric	...	159
Wayagamack	...	24
Cedars Bonds	...	86

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MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Aug. 19.—Butter is quiet and steady. The demand for cheese is good. Eggs steady.

Cheese—Finest Westerns, 12½ to 12¾; Easterns, 11⅞ to 12⅛.

Butter—Choicest creamery, 27½ to 27¾; seconds, 26½ to 26¾.

Eggs—Fresh, 27 to 28; selected, 26; No. 1 stock, 23.

Pork—Heavy Canada short mess, 29; short cut back, 28½.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISION MARKET

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	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Wheat—				
Sept.	105¼	105⅞	104⅝	105⅝
Dec.	105	105	103¼	104¾
May	109	109¼	108	108⅝
Corn—				
Sept.	75¼	76⅛	74⅝	75⅞
Dec.	63⅞	64⅛	63⅝	64⅛
May	65⅝	65⅞	65⅜	65⅞
Oats—				
Sept.	39¼	39⅞	38½	39⅝
Dec.	38⅛	38⅝	38⅛	38⅝
May	41	41½	40½	41
Pork—				
Sept.	13.60	13.77	13.47	13.77
December	13.62	13.90	13.62	13.90
Lard—				
Sept.	8.10	8.12	7.92	8.12
Dec.	8.02	8.22	8.02	8.22
Short Ribs—				
Sept.	8.62	8.70	8.55	8.70
Oct.	8.70	8.80	8.65	8.80

POWERS OF REGISTRARS

Important Appeal Court Judgment in Case Arising at Vancouver—Discretionary Duty

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 19.—An important judgment upholding the discretionary authority of district land registrars, has been handed down by the British Columbia Court of Appeal in the case of the Land Registry Act vs. Guy M. Shaw. The court, with Mr. Justice Irving alone dissenting, has ruled that a district registrar is not a mere machine for making registrations, but has a discretionary duty to fulfil.

The action arose over the refusal of the Vancouver registrar to register the assignment of a mortgage to himself, tendered by Mr. Shaw, as done under a power of attorney, without proof of acquiescence by the grantor of the power of attorney. The power of attorney given to Mr. Shaw empowered the donee to sell or assign the mortgage, but did not specifically state that he was empowered to assign the mortgage to himself. Under the circumstances, the district registrar refused to grant registration.

The majority of the court held that the registrar was justified in his refusal, as the voidability of the transfer appears on the face of the document. In a dissenting judgment, Mr. Justice Irving takes the ground that the registrar is not a court, and has no discretion to refuse registration where the conditions imposed by the Land Registry Act are fulfilled.

FIVE SHIPS ARE SUNK

LONDON, Aug. 19. — The British steamship Serbino, 2,250 tons register, and the Russian steamship Thornfield, were torpedoed and sunk by German submarines today. The crew of the Serbino was saved, but no mention was made of the Thornfield's crew in reports of the sinking.

The Wilson liner Grodno, of Hull, 1,955 tons gross, has been sunk. Her crew was saved.

The Norwegian steamship Magda was sunk by a submarine in the North Sea today. The Magda's crew was rescued.

The British steamship Dunbles was torpedoed and sunk by a submarine today. In dispatches telling of the attack no mention was made of the fate of the crew.

Slocan Mine Bonded

NELSON, B. C., Aug. 19.—It is reported that Patrick Welsh and Martin Welsh, of the firm of Foley, Welsh & Stewart, railway contractors, have bonded the Echo mine at Silverton. This property comprises the Standard Ledge, which, it is stated, is one of the richest in surface showings in the Slocan district. A large force of men is engaged in development work, and shipments are expected to begin at an early date.

The illogical doctrines of materialism, stating that germs can grow without having any latent power, either external or internal, has been applied to social and moral questions, with the result of this awful superstition that evil will somehow evolve good, and man's selfish passions be mysteriously transmuted into lofty morals by the same blind process. —H. Travers.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as Cox & Saunders, in the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to J. R. Saunders, at 1218 Langley Street, Victoria, aforesaid, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said J. R. Saunders, by whom the same will be settled.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 11th day of August, 1915.

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WM. JOHN COX.

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HOTEL BUSINESS

Under and by power of sale contained in two separate mortgages dated the 31st day of January, 1914, tenders are invited for the purchase of the bar fixtures, stock in trade, of liquors and cigars and hotel furnishings of every nature and kind contained in the King Edward Hotel, Yates Street, Victoria, B. C., containing furniture of seventy-seven bedrooms and complete dining-room and office furniture, cutlery, bed and table linen, etc., together with the licence to sell liquors on the premises. The hotel is now being carried on as a going concern and doing a good bar and general business. Arrangements will be made for a lease of the premises upon easy terms, and for carrying a reasonable proportion of the purchase price upon credit to a satisfactory purchaser. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Tenders to be in by the 4th day of September, 1915. For further particulars apply to The Victoria Phoenix Brewing Company, Limited, Victoria, B. C., or to BARNARD, ROBERTSON, HEISTERMAN & TAIT, Solicitors, B. C. Permanent Loan Building, Victoria, B. C.

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AUCTION SALE

Under and by virtue of a Landlord's Distress Warrant I have distrained the goods and chattels in and upon the premises of Jake and Louis Moldowan, 551 Yates Street, consisting of Safe, Desks, Platform Scales, 3-wheel Truck, Gas Stove, Violin, 10 sacks Potatoes, etc., and will offer the same for sale at public auction on the premises on Saturday next, August 21, at 10:30 a. m.

Terms of sale, cash.

F. G. RICHARDS, Sheriff,
Bailiff for Landlord.

Sheriff's Office, Victoria, B. C., August 18, 1915.

AUCTION SALE

Under and by virtue of a Landlord's Distress Warrant, I have distrained the goods and chattels in and upon the premises of J. Arendell, Lot 5, Quadra Street Extension, consisting of Oak Buffet, Lounge, Table, Sewing Machine, etc., and will offer the same for sale at public auction on the premises on Saturday next, August 21, at 10:30 a.m.

Terms of sale, cash.

F. G. RICHARDS, Sheriff,
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Sheriff's Office, Victoria, B. C., August 19, 1915.

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CHARGES WILL GO UNANSWERED

German Ambassador Has No Reply to New York World —Official Says All Actions Are Justifiable.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—"Don't expect any official answer to the allegations now being printed. There will not be any, for there is nothing to answer." So declared, yesterday, one of the men prominently mentioned in The New York World's "German propaganda" article. A persistent effort was made today to obtain an expression from the men mentioned in the correspondence printed by The World.

"Only one thing can keep that story alive," said the man quoted above, "and that would be a reply from Ambassador von Bernstorff or Dr. Albert or the Chancellor himself. They will not answer it because it contains nothing that requires an answer and they know that to make a statement now would only be to prolong the attack. It will fall of its own weight, or blow away by reason of its lack of weight in another day or two."

Seeing Count Bernstorff at the Ritz-Carlton seemed to confirm his view. He refused to discuss the conspiracy charges, and would only smile and shake his head when the subject was suggested.

However, whether or not his authority in the matter is the same, the views of the man who made the statement certainly [illegible] the same philosophy and are of interest.

"There will not be any denial of the correctness of the copies of correspondence printed," he said. "The letters were stolen and they speak for themselves. But what do they show? They show that we've been doing only the same things that are being done in this country for the benefit of the other countries engaged in the war.

"We've scrupulously avoided overstepping the bounds and all the correspondence that may be stolen will fail to prove the contrary. Certainly we've wanted to win American public opinion, hopeless as the task might seem with all the news from Europe filtering through England.

"Suppose it were proved that we had bought supplies? and hadn't used, but kept them in this country? Just what offence would that constitute? If it is argued that this is inconsistent with our objections to the exporting of munitions the answer is that Germany is earnest in her objections and gladly would forego the privilege of obtaining such supplies here—if any have been obtained.

"We are aware of what is legitimate and what is not, and we have not gone beyond what is proper."

British Steamer Ashore

HALIFAX, N.S., Aug. 19.—The British steamer Silver Wings, from New York for Archangel, Russia, ran aground on the treacherous sand bars of Sable Island during a dense fog on Tuesday night. The crew remained on board all yesterday, but last night, owing to rising seas and high winds, were obliged to seek shelter in the life-saving station on the island. The steamer is leaking and will probably be a total loss. The Silver Wings had a gross tonnage of 2,822. She was owned by N. Hullett & Company.

Ready for You Today, Boys—

READY-CASH SALE

Opens With a Bang, This Morning

SUITS

New Styles

Not a Suit left out or held back, and look at the reductions! Anyone who has seen our swell stock of the finest, newest, most up-to-date tweeds, worsteds and serges in the latest styles will know what an opportunity this is.

Sizes from 34 to 39.

$20.00 SUITS Selling for........ **$10.00**
$22.50 SUITS Selling for........ **$12.50**
$25.00 SUITS Selling for........ **$15.00**
$27.50 SUITS Selling for........ **$17.50**
$30.00 SUITS Selling for........ **$20.00**
$32.50 SUITS Selling for........ **$21.00**
$35.00 SUITS Selling for........ **$22.50**

CHANCE FOR BIG MEN—All Suits in size 40 or over for HALF PRICE STRAIGHT.

You know us, Al. You know we are not sale specialists; that we don't hold Sales on flimsy excuses and that when we advertise sale values they ARE sale values. You also know that we handle only the best qualities of Clothing and Furnishings.

Well, this is a real, regular sale. We need some ready money to help pay for big Fall shipments. We don't like to sacrifice our clean, fresh, quality stock, but that's the quickest way we know to raise the cash. All day yesterday our store was closed while we re-marked everything in the place. The results show in the prices. Look 'em over.

Come and Get What You Need Today

If You Need a Smart Shirt

Here's your opportunity. These Shirts bear the Arrow trademark, and they're all new and correct.

$1.50 Values, now **$1.00**
$1.75 Values, now **$1.25**
$2.00 Values, now **$1.40**

Snap in Silk and Taffeta Shirts at......... **$2.75**

GET A FALL Overcoat

Handsome new dark grey Chesterfields—crackerjacks for style and quality.

$25 OVERCOATS for.............. **$17.50**
$30 OVERCOATS for.............. **$20.00**

Imported Scotch Rainproofs

Famous Dexter Brand—the only real satisfactory rainproofs. Shipment just arrived.

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Complete Range of Smart Rain-Coats—Half Price

See the Prices and Then See the Goods

All New Stock and Not a Thing Held Back

Good Quality New Bath Robes

$18.00 values for **$12.00**
$12.00 values for **$8.00**

Motor or Traveling Rugs

$25.00 Genuine Jaeger Rugs for **$12.50**
$15.00 Navajo Rugs for **$8.00**

Men Always Need Good Hose

50c Silk Hose, now 3 for **$1.00**
75c Holeproof Silk Hose, now...... **50¢**
35c Holeproof Lisle Hose, now..... **25¢**
50c Silk, Wool and Cashmere Hose, 3 for **$1.00**
35c Hose, broken lines, now 2 for.. **25¢**

Golf Hose Half Price

Grab These Good Gloves

$2.00 Hand-Stitched Chamois Gloves, now **$1.25**
$1.25 Chamois Gloves, now .... **75¢**
$1.75 Grey Suede Gloves, now.... **$1.00**
$2.00 Reindeer Buck Mocha Gloves, now **$1.35**
$1.25 Cashmere Gloves, now....... **75¢**
$1.50 White Chamois Gloves, now **$1.00**

Your Pick of Our Swell Belts

35c Each

Any Pair Suspenders

35c Each

Swell Neckwear

50c and 75c Silk Ties, now 3 for **$1.00**
75c and $1.00 Silk Ties, now, each **50¢**
75c Silk Wash Ties, now 2 for.... **75¢**
35c Wash Ties, now 5 for **$1.00**
$1.50 Silk Knitted Ties, now, each **90¢**

Special in Bow Ties, 2 for 35c

Best Grade Bar Coats

Regular $2.00 for **$1.00**

Chance to Load Up on Collars

Broken Lines, Arrow makes, 3 for **25¢**

Big Men's Shirts Cheap

Reg. $1.00 quality; size 17; 3 for **$1.00**

Underwear

Summer weights (including nationally-famous B.V.D.) and woolens in 2-piece or combinations. Just look at the values:

50c Summer Weights, 3 for **$1.00**
65c Summer Weights .... **45¢**
$1.50 B. V. D. **$1.00**
$2.00 Woolen Underwear **$1.25**
$2.50 Woolen Underwear **$1.50**
$3.00 Woolen Underwear **$2.00**
$3.50 Woolen Underwear **$2.25**
$4.00 Woolen Underwear **$2.50**
$6.00 Wool-Silk Mixture Underwear for **$4.00**

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And Cost You Less if Purchased at Spencer's

HUNDREDS of parents will be busy at the Spencer Store today and Saturday outfitting their children ready for school next Monday. To assist you in your shopping, and to let you see how reasonably, yet satisfactorily, we can supply every article that will be necessary—from a pair of Stockings to a full Suit or Dress—from a Slate Pencil to the High School Text Books—we have prepared this ad.

Of course, this list is by no means complete; there are scores of other items we might easily add were more space at our disposal.

By shopping in the morning you avoid the afternoon rush.

School Garments for Girls

Wash Dresses

In fancy checks, stripes, plaids and self colors, and in splendid wearing quality ginghams, prints, crepes, chambrays and linens; also other novelty wash fabrics. Fashionable styles to fit girls of all ages, and marked at Summer sale prices.

Sizes to 6 years, specially priced at .... **90¢**
Sizes 8 to 14 years, specially priced at ... **$1.50**
Also all sizes in better grade materials, selling at $2.00 and **$2.75**

Girls' School Boots

Gunmetal Calf Blucher and Button Boots, all solid leather throughout. Sizes 8 to 10½, at, pair **$2.00**
Sizes 11 to 2, at, pair **$2.50**
Classic Boots for Girls—Undoubtedly the best make for school wear. They are made to wear. We have them in gunmetal and patent, button or lace styles. Sizes 8 to 10½, at, pair **$2.25**
Sizes 11 to 2, at, pair **$2.75**
New Military Style Black Cloth Top Lace and Button Boots, with patent foxing, "Classic" make. Sizes 8 to 10½, at, per pair **$2.25**
Sizes 11 to 2, at, pair **$2.75**
"So Cozy" Boots, for children, in tan and black calf and patent leather, with cloth or kid tops. Sizes 4 to 8, at, pair **$2.00**
Sizes 8 to 10½, at, pair **$2.50**
"So Cozy Strap Slippers, for children, in patent leather and box calf. Sizes 4 to 8, pair **$1.75**
Sizes 8 to 10½ at, pair **$2.00**

Girls' Pinafores

A very useful quality for school wear, in white cotton and embroideries. All sizes, at .. **50¢**

All-Wool Sweaters

Made in coat shape, finished with military collar, and in colors saxe blue, tan, cardinal, and white. Sizes 6 months to 10 years. Priced according to age, $1.25 to **$2.25**
Heavier Quality Sweater—For girls 8 to 10 years, in colors grey, dark olive, old rose and saxe blue. Selling at **$2.50**
Cap to match, each .... **65¢**
All White Sweaters, in sizes 6 months to 6 years, and a very special quality at **$1.90**

Children's Coats

In reefer, full length, belted, box and Empire styles, with convertible collars, trimmed with silk velvet or of self. In warm, comfortable materials, in colors red, navy, fawn, grey, also fancy checks and corduroy velvets. Sizes 2 to 14 years. Priced from $3.90 to **$6.90**

Children's Hats

For school wear, in straws and sailors. Each 25c and .... **50¢**

Children's Directoire Knickers

In balbriggan style, and in colors white, blue and black. All sizes, at, pair .... **25¢**
Black Sateen Bloomers, sizes 2 to 16 years. Per pair .... **50¢**

Girls' Middy Waists

In sizes 4 to 10 years.

In all white linene, each .... **75¢**
In white, trimmed with cardinal, navy and cadet, each .... **75¢**
In white Lonsdale jean, with colored trimmings of galatea, each **$1.50**
Awning Striped Middies, in pink, navy and pale blue, each **$1.50**

School Garments for Boys

Boys' School Suits

In hard wearing tweeds and tweed mixtures, worsteds and serges, and in serviceable patterns and shades for Fall. These Suits are specially made for school wear; extra well tailored, to stand the roughest wear. In double breasted and Norfolk styles, with full bloomer pants. All sizes, at prices ranging from, per suit, $4.75 to **$12.50**

Boys' School Sweaters

Heavy wool and cotton mixtures, with fancy stripe on collar. In colors grey, tan, cardinal, and navy. Pull-over head style. Each .. **50¢**
Sweater Coats, with roll collar or in vest shape. In wool mixtures and in colors tan, fawn, navy, dark grey, navy trimmed red, and cardinal with grey. Sizes 8 to 12 years. Worth $1.25. Special, each .... **75¢**
Youths' Sweaters, same colors and styles, size 34. $1.50 value for **$1.00**

Boys' School Boots

These Boots are made to our own specifications, and are positively guaranteed to wear and give satisfaction. Box calf Blucher style, extra strong sole and uppers.

Sizes 8 to 10½, at, pair **$2.00**
Sizes 11 to 13½, at, pair **$2.50**
Sizes 1 to 5½, at, pair **$3.00**

Boys' Pants

In strong tweeds and tweed mixtures. Just the thing for school wear. All sizes.

Plain knee, at, pair **$1.00**
Bloomer style, at, pair **$1.25**
Velvet Corduroy Pants, plain knee, in all sizes; brown and drab color. Special value, at, per pair **$1.25**

Boys' Hats

In boater and telescope shapes, fine and coarse plait, with black and colored bands. Each **50¢**

Public and High School Text Books and All School Stationery and Sundries at Lowest Prices Possible

Exceptional Clearing Values in Women's Wash Dresses, Saturday at $2.90

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DRESSES in materials and styles that make them most desirable for vacation, outing and picnic wear, also for indoor or garden wear. Attractive one-piece styles, in fancy-striped muslins, in black and white, pink and white, and mauve and white; also dark grey chambray, blue check gingham, spot and floral muslins, tan rep, ratine, and white pique. Dresses worth $4.50 to $7.50. To clear at **$2.90**

—First Floor

Entire Balance of Summer Millinery on Sale Saturday at $1.50

For a final clean-up of all Summer Millinery, we have grouped entire balance of stock into one offering for a very quick sale Saturday. At this price every Hat is a great bargain worth securing, and early shopping is advised.

—Second Floor

Ladies' Slightly Damaged Glace Kid Gloves, Clearing Saturday at, Pair 35c

Although these Gloves are slightly imperfect, the clearing price is a ridiculous one, and no difficulty will be experienced in selling them all out in quick time. Tan color only, two-clasp. On sale Saturday at, pair .... **35¢**

—Main Floor

Colored Silk Ribbons

All Plain Shades, 5 and 6 in. wide, at, yard, 15c, 20c.. **25¢**
Fancy Striped and Dresden Ribbons, at, yard ..... **25¢**
New Windsor Ties, all colors, in silk crepe de Chine and silks. Up from .... **35¢**

—Main Floor

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AN exceptional offer and a very special opportunity for you to get your floor covered with a good-wearing quality Brussels Carpet at small cost. The Carpets selected for this offering are values up to $1.55, and there's a nice range of good, serviceable designs and colorings to choose from. With the advantage of having your room measured and fitted correctly, the carpet made and laid free, surely this offer is well worth considering. Investigate by seeing the samples displayed in View Street windows today.

—Second Floor

New Brushed Wool and Camel Hair Sweater Sets to Sell at $6.75

BRUSHED Wool and Camel Hair Sweater Sets are always favorites for Fall wear, and these new styles and attractive shades will go a long way to add to their reputation.

The Brushed Wool Sweater Sets come in loose coat style, with fringed-end scarf and cap to match. The new shades are saxe blue, camel and paddy green.

The Camel Hair Sweater Sets come in coat shape with shawl collar and self-covered buttons; fringed-end sash and cap to match. The new shades are rose, Copenhagen, terra cotta, paddy green, camel and saxe blue.

—First Floor

Corset Special for Medium and Slender Figures, Saturday at $1.25

A WELL made Thomson Glove-Fitting Corset, of heavy coutil and trimmed with lace and ribbon. Low bust and long hips, boned with double wire; 4 everlastic hose supporters. All sizes, 19 to 26. A regular $1.75 value for **$1.25**

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